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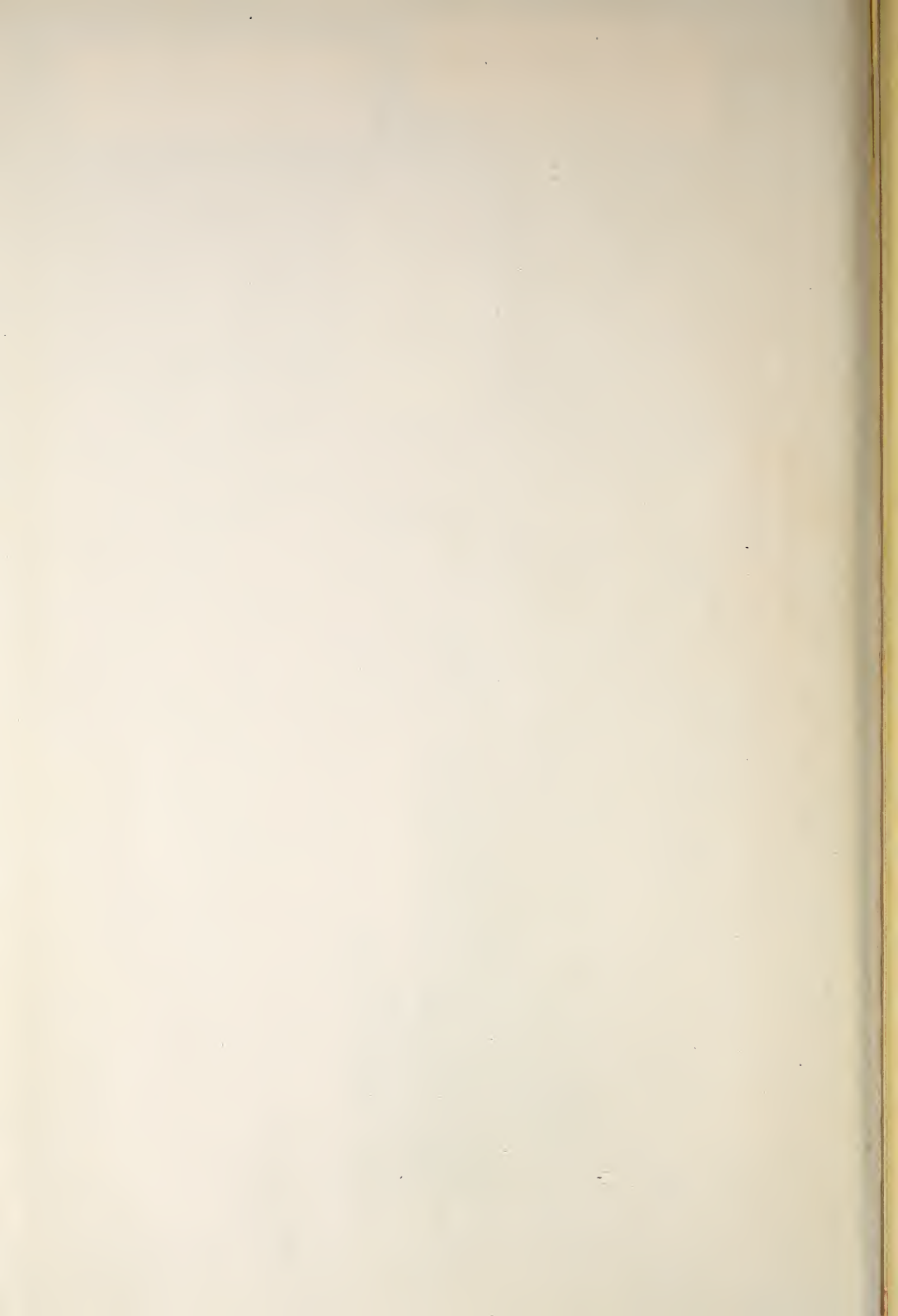
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Location of BOXES and SIGNALS

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| 12 Thacher Street and Warren Avenue | 341 Pleasant Street and Edge Hill Road |
| 121 Thacher Street, near Kahler Avenue | 342 Milton Convalescent Home, Edge Hill Road |
| 122 Thacher Street and Brook Road | 343 Gerald Road and Pleasant Street |
| 123 Saint Mary's and Crane Roads | 3341 Edge Hill Road at Junior High School |
| 13 Blue Hill Terrace and Crown Streets | 344 Lawrence Road and Barton Lane |
| 131 Warren Avenue and Dyer Avenue | 345 Murray Avenue and Hoy Terrace |
| 132 Audubon Road and Harold Street | 346 Mathaurs Street at Clay Street |
| 133 Parkway Crescent, at No. 28 | 347 Gerald Road and Phyllis Lane |
| 134 Ferncroft Road and Pagoda Street | 35 Hillside Street, at No. 59 |
| 135 Ferncroft Road and Savin Street | 351 Randolph Avenue, near Town Line |
| 136 Decker Street and Essex Road | 352 Randolph Ave., opposite Nahanton Ave. |
| 137 Hudson Street and Pagoda Circle | 353 Nahanton Avenue and Brewster Road |
| 14 Blue Hill Avenue and Oak Street | 36 Highland and Reed Streets |
| 141 Pagoda Street and Blue Hill Avenue | 361 Randolph Avenue and Pleasant Street |
| 142 Cheever Street, at No. 23 | 362 Highland Street and Randolph Avenue |
| 143 Brush Hill and Brook Roads | 37 Central Fire Station |
| 144 Lothrop Avenue and Verndale Road | 371 Thacher Street and Central Avenue |
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| 146 Concord Avenue, at No. 45 | 373 Lantern and Thompson Lanes |
| 147 Brush Hill Road and Cheever Street | 374 Central Avenue and Brook Road |
| 15 Houston Ave. and Blue Hills Parkway | 375 Cape Cod Lane, near Brook Road |
| 151 Oak Street and Blue Hills Parkway | 376 Magnolia and Bonad Roads |
| 153 Kahler Ave. and Blue Hills Parkway | 38 Highland Street, near Spafford Road |
| 16 Brook and Brandon Roads | 381 Highland Street and Martin Road |
| 161 Hinckley and Ridge Roads | 3812 Milton Hospital, 92 Highland Street |
| 162 Windsor and Greenleaf Roads | 39 Reedsdale Road, at No. 287 |
| 163 Brook and Marilyn Roads | 391 Canton Avenue and Reedsdale Road |
| 164 Allerton and Standish Roads | 392 Canton Avenue and Voses Lane |
| 17 Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road (Mattapan) | 393 Coolidge Road and Centre Lane |
| *172 Boston, cross River at Mattapan | 4 Walter Baker Chocolate Mills |
| 18 Eliot and Capen Streets | 41 Canton and Whitelawn Avenues |
| 181 Eliot Street and Hinckley Road | 412 School Street, at No. 167 |
| 182 Cliff and Byrne Roads | 4121 New Glover School, Canton Avenue |
| 19 Eliot Street and Hawthorne Road | 413 School Street, near Griggs Lane |
| 191 Curtis Road, at Lumber Yard | 42 Randolph Avenue and School Street |
| 192 Fairfax Road and Virginia Street | 421 Brook Road and Churchills Lane |
| 21 Brush Hill Road and Atherton Street | 43 Adams Street, Milton Village, at No. 71 |
| 211 Wolcott Road and Dill Street | 431 Morton and Westside Roads |
| *22 NO SCHOOL | *432 Boston, cross River at Milton Village |
| 23 Brush Hill and Bradlee Roads | 45 Maple Street, at No. 40 |
| 2312 Curry College, 848 Brush Hill Road | *452 Boston, cross River at Central Avenue |
| 24 Brush Hill Road, at No. 676 | 453 Central Avenue and Eliot Street |
| 25 Brush Hill and Smith Roads | 46 Central Avenue and Hinckley Road |
| 251 Beacon Street and Smith Road | 461 Central Avenue and Valley Road |
| 26 Brush Hill Rd. and Metropolitan Ave. | 462 Columbine Road, and Allerton Rd. |
| 27 Blue Hill Avenue and Robbins Street | 47 Canton Avenue and Brook Hill Road |
| 271 Truro Lane and Sumner Street | 48 Eliot Street and Oak Road |
| 272 Lafayette Street, at No. 43 | 481 Eliot Street and Valley Road |
| 3 Police Call | 5 Canton Avenue and Holmes' Lane |
| 31 Pleasant and Maitland Streets | 51 Canton Avenue, at No. 790 |
| 311 Randolph Avenue and Reedsdale Road | 511 Wendell Park and Channing Street |
| 312 Town Barn, Highway Dept., at 629 Randolph Avenue | 512 Governor Stoughton Lane |
| 313 Randolph Avenue and Artwill Street | 513 Gulliver and Channing Streets |
| 314 Hillside and Forest Streets | 5131 Charles Sumner Pierce School |
| 315 Hillside Street and Blue Hill River Rd. | 52 Canton Avenue and Robbins Street |
| 316 Silver Brook Road | 521 Blue Hills Parkway, at No. 543 |
| 32 Randolph Avenue and Centre Street | 522 Mingo Street, at No. 61 |
| 321 Milton Academy, Boys' Dormitory | 523 The Ledgeway and Canton Avenue |
| 322 Centre Street and Paradise Road | 53 Blue Hill Avenue and Atherton Street |
| 323 Centre Street, at No. 521 | 531 Canton Avenue and Atherton Street |
| 34 Pleasant Street and Gun Hill Street | 532 Jeanne D'Arc Academy, Blue Hill Avenue |
| | 54 Canton Avenue, at No. 1435 |

*Special Signals.

541	Blue Hill Avenue, Milton Street and Dollar Lane	671	Pierce Street, near Pond Street
542	Canton Avenue, at No. 1630	*672	Quincy
56	Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road (Blue Hill)	673	Mechanic Street and Granite Avenue
561	Brush Hill Road, at No. 1372	68	Granite Place and Brackett Street
5612	St. Columban Missionary College, 1200 Brush Hill Road	69	Washington and Howard Streets
*562	Canton	691	Adams Street, near Town Line
57	Milton Street, at No. 75	71	Granite Avenue, near Bassett Street
6	Belcher School, Church Street	712	Granite Avenue and Squantum Street
61	Randolph Ave. and Hutchinson St.	72	Antwerp Street and Emerson Road
62	Adams Street and Churchills Lane	721	Wood and Church Streets
621	Forbes Road	722	Franklin Street, at No. 136
63	Adams Street, at No. 303	723	Howe Street, near Mayhew Road
632	St. Agatha's Convent, No. 366 Adams St.	724	Emerson and Osborne Roads
64	Adams, Centre and Pleasant Streets	725	Collamore Street, at No. 33
641	Adams and Rowe Streets	73	Granite Avenue and Courtland Circle
6412	St. Agatha's School, Adams Street	731	Barney & Carey Co., Granite Avenue
642	Pleasant Street and Gordon Road	74	Squantum and Church Streets
643	Brook Road and Pleasant Street	741	Denmark Ave. and Squantum Street
644	Brook and Reservation Roads	75	Hope Ave. and Cedar Terrace Street
645	Pillon and Taft Roads	*8	Mutual Aid to Quincy
646	Hurlcroft Road and Cabot Street	*8212	Mutual Aid to Boston
647	Adams Street and Brook Road	**91	Canton Avenue at Blue Hill Avenue
648	Cary Avenue, at No. 80	**92	Harland Street and Unquity Road
649	California Avenue, at No. 54	**93	M.D.C. Police Station, Blue Hills
65	Edge Hill Road and Otis Street	**94	Forest Street at Quincy Line
651	Huntington Road, at No. 63	**95	Randolph Avenue and Chickatawbut Road
652	State and Sheldon Streets	**96	Randolph Avenue and Highland Street
653	Edge Hill Road and Plymouth Avenue	**97	Boy Scout Camp, Unquity Road
654	Governors and Warner Roads		
67	Granite Avenue and Adams Street (East Milton Square)		

*Special Signals

**Special Signals for Fires in the Blue Hills Reservation

Directions for Sounding an Alarm

Open outside door of Fire Alarm Box, then pull the hook down ONCE and let go. Remain at Box until arrival of Firemen and direct them to Fire.

Signals

- 1 One blow, 7:30 A.M., 12m., 5:45 P.M., Fire Alarm Tests.
- 1—1 Two blows, Recall.
- 1—1—1 Three blows followed by four rounds of box number, GENERAL ALARM.

Signals for No School

The signal 2—2 sounded four times on the fire alarm at

7:15 A.M., means no school sessions for all schools for entire day.

7:30 A.M., means no school for all schools below the Junior High School for the entire day.

11:40 A.M., means no afternoon sessions for all schools below the Junior High School—this signal will not be sounded if the 7:15 signal has been sounded.

The 7:15 A.M., signal will rarely be sounded as it includes the closing of the High and Junior High Schools.

If the 7:15 A.M., signal is given, the 7:30 A.M. signal will be unnecessary.

FRED E. WHELAN, Chief of Department.

Emergency call for Fire Department should be "Milton Fire Department—Emergency"

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STREET DIRECTORY

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NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Aberdeen Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	886	.17	B.M.	40	886		1931
Adams Court	Adams St.	Bassett St.	304	.06	D.	10		304	1798, 1800 1889
Adams Street	Town line at Dorchester	Town line at Quincy	11290	2.14	B.C.	40-75	11290		1952
Adanac Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Truro Lane	740	.14	B.M. & B.C.	50	244	496	
Adrian Road	Blue Hill River Rd.	Private land	462	.08	D.	50		462	
Albert Place	Alvin Avenue	Public land	143	.02	D.	40		143	
Alden Road	Grafton Ave.	Plymouth Ave.	300	.06	D.	40		300	
Allen Circle	Eliot St.	Private land	612	.11	B.M.	40	612		1936
Allerton Road	Central Ave.	Columbine Rd.	1754	.33	B.C., B.G. & G.	40-50	544	1210	1952
Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	Public land	1720	.33	B.C. & G. & D.	40-50	880	840	1947, 51
Andrews Road	Babcock St.	Private land	276	.05	B.G.	40	276		1906
Annapolis Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Truro Lane	629	.12	B.C.	50		629	1927, 1940
Antwerp Street	Squantum St.	Granite Ave.	1555	.30	B.C. & B.M.	40	1555		1907
Artwill Street	Randolph Ave.	Reedsdale Rd.	883	.17	B.G.	30-40	883		
Ash Street	Lyman Rd.	Private land	400	.08	D.	40		400	
Atherton Street	Brush Hill Rd.	Mingo Street	7550	1.43	B.G., G. & D.	30-40 & 50	3283	4267	1931, 1932, 1935
Audubon Road	Warren Ave.	Parkway Crescent	2068	.39	B.C., B.M. & D.	40-50	1514	554	1939
Augusta Road	Squantum St.	Pillon Rd.	352	.07	B.C.	40	352		1898
Austin Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	465	.09	B.C.	32	465		1930
Avalon Road	Eliot St.	Lancaster Lane	876	.17	B.M.	40	876		1906
Babcock Street	Adams St.	Hollis St.	408	.08	B.G.	40	408		1953
Badger Circle	Pleasant Street	Pleasant Street	1015	.19	B.C.	50	1015		1946
Bailey Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	580	.11	B.C.	40	580		1947
Ballou Street	Pond St.	Town line at Quincy	114	.02	B.C.	40	114		
Barnard Avenue	Adams St.	Brook Road	1070	.20	D.	40		1070	
Bartons Lane	Fuller's Lane	Glendale Road	611	.12	D.	40-50		611	
Bassett Street	Church St.	Granite Ave.	740	.14	B.M.	40	740		1929
Bates Road	Granite Place	Belcher Circle	451	.09	B.G.	33	451		1904
Beacon Street	Town line at Hyde Park	Brush Hill Road	1970	.37	B.G. & D.	40	310	1660	1891
Beacon St. Circle	Beacon St.	Beacon St.	1053	.20	D.	40		1053	
Beale Street	Town line at Milton St.	Town line 170 ft. east of Eaton St.					*		
Beech Street	Mathews St.	Lyman Rd.	303	.06	D.	40		303	
Belcher Circle	Granite Place	Howe St.	1107	.21	B.G.	33	1107		1904
Belvoir Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	638	.12	B.G.	40	638		1917
Berlin Avenue	Squantum St.	Private land	571	.11	B.C.	40	571		1946
Birch Street	Mathews St.	Lyman Rd.	300	.06	D.	30		300	
Blue Hill Avenue	Blue Hills Parkway	Canton Ave.	17423	3.30	B.M.	55-66	†		1859
Blue Hills Parkway	Town line at Mattapan	Canton Ave.	7900	1.50	B.M.	120	‡		1877

G = Gravel
D = DirtB.M. = Bituminous Macadam
B.G. = Bituminous GravelC.C. = Cement Concrete
B.C. = Bituminous Concrete* All in Quincy
† (S) 17423
‡ (S) 7900

STREET DIRECTORY

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NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Blue Hill River Rd.	Hillside Street	Town line at Quincy	5800	1.10	B.M.	60	†		1901, 1906
Blue Hill Terrace St.	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	1313	.25	B.M.	40	1313		1940
Bonad Road	Clapp St.	Fairbanks Rd.	592	.11	B.C.	40	592		1898
Boulevard Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Bryant Ave.	314	.06	B.C.	45	314		1889
Brackett Street	Granite Place	Washington St.	533	.10	B.G.	30	533		1932
Bradford Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	647	.12	B.C. & D.	40	525	122	1895
Bradlee Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	2300	.44	B.M.	60-100	2300		1931
Brae Burn Road	Pleasant St.	Hillcrest Rd.	883	.17	B.M.	40	883		1927
Brandon Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	772	.15	B.M.	40	772		1929
Breck Street	Thacher St.	Clapp St.	395	.07	B.M.	40	395		1920
Brewster Road	Sassamon Ave.	Private land	385	.07	D.	40		385	
Briarfield Road	Eliot St.	Brook Rd.	893	.17	B.G.	40			
Brook Lane	Hillside Street	Randolph Ave.	1810	.34	D.	20-30	893	1810	
Brook Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Adams St.	15900	3.01	B.C. B.M. & B.G.	40-100	15900		1871, 1901
Brook Hill Road	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	1365	.26	B.M.	40	1365		1895
Brookside Park	Brook Hill Rd.	Pine Tree Brook	365	.07	B.G.	65	365		1901
Brush Hill Lane	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	900	.17	B.C.	40		900	
Brush Hill Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Canton Ave.	19252	3.65	C.C. & B.M.	40-55	19252		
Bryant Avenue	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	1508	.28	B.G.	40	1508		1877
Buckingham Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1116	.21	B.C.	40	1116		1942
Bunton Street	Brackett St.	Washington St.	714	.13	B.G.	30	714		1907, 1925
Byrne Road	Cape St.	Cliff Rd.	332	.06	B.C.	50	332		1951
Cabot Street	Cary Ave.	Private land	1527	.29	B.C.	40	1527		1938, 39, 49
California Avenue	Squantum St.	Lochland St.	1080	.20	B.C.	50	359	721	1950
Canton Avenue	Adams St.	Town line at Canton	24493	4.64	B.C. & B.M.	40-60	††		1873, 1897
Cantwell Road	Eliot St.	Private land	468	.09	B.C.	30	468		1922
Cape Cod Lane	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	615	.12	B.C.	40	615		1939
Cape Street	Eliot St.	Neponset River Reservation	1436	.27	B.M. & B.G.	40	1436		1895, 1901
Cary Avenue	Adams St.	Cabot St.	1521	.29	B.C. & B.M.	40-60	1521		1931, 1939
Catherine Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Audubon Rd.	469	.09	B.C.	40	469		1938
Cedar Road	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1744	.33	D.	40		1744	
Cedar Terrace Street	Squantum St.	Private land	1091	.21	B.M. & D.	40	893	198	1930
Central Avenue	Town line at Dorchester	Thacher St.	6307	1.19	B.C. & B.M.	40-74	6307	1303	1897
Centre Lane	Centre St.	Coolidge Rd.	1303	.25	G.	50			1822, 1897
Centre Street	Reedsdale Rd.	Adams St.	7444	1.41	B.C. & B.M.	30-50	7444		1942
Century Lane	Edge Hill Rd.	Pleasant Street	828	.16	B.C.	40	828	684	
Channing Street	Wendell Park	Public land	684	.13	D.	50			1899
Cheever Street	Brush Hill Road	Blue Hill Avenue	1197	.23	B.G.	40	1197		1952
Cheryl Drive	Marr Crest Rd.	Forbes Road	864	.17	B.C.	50	864		1938
Cheslerfield Road	Pleasant Street	Houghton Road	592	.11	B.C.	40	592		

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† (S) 5800

† (T) 23259.

(S) 1234.

STREET DIRECTORY

Chilton Park	Revere Street	Grove Street	316	.06 D.	50	316	1904
Church Place	Belcher Circle	Church Street	273	.05 B. G.	36	273	1888, 1914
Church Street	Adams Street	Squantum Street	2886	.52 B. C., B. M. & B. G.	20-30	2734	1931, 1936
Churchills Lane	Adams St.	Centre St.	2886	.54 B. G.	20-30	2886	1930
Churchhill Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	913	.17 B. M.	30	913	1930
Clapp Street	Breck St.	Thacher St.	2019	.38 B. G.	40-50	2019	1878
Clark Road	Elton Rd.	Barbons Lane	406	.08 B. C.	40	406	1942
Clay Street	Rose St.	Private land	469	.09 D.	40	469	
Cliff Road	Eliot St.	Met. Transit Authority	1902	.36 B. G.	40	1902	1923
Clifton Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1229	.23 B. G. & B. C.	40	1229	1922, 1944
Collamore Street	Church St.	Alvin Ave.	780	.15 B. C.	40	780	1935
Columbia Park	Brook Rd.	Private land	292	.05 B. G.	40	292	1914, 1915
Columbine Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	2540	.48 B. G.	40	2540	1910
Concord Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	1022	.19 B. M.	40	1022	1927, 1930
Conway Road	Bailey Ave.	Lyman Rd.	244	.05 D.	40	244	
Coollidge Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Private land	686	.13 B. C.	50	686	1953
Cottage Place	Pleasant St.	Private land	447	.08 B. C.	30	447	1949
Courtland Circle	Granite Ave.	Courtland Circle	975	.18 B. C.	50	975	1939, 1940
Craig Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Private land	1033	.19 B. C.	50	1033	1951, 1953
Crane Road	Thacher St.	St. Mary's Rd.	290	.05 B. C.	50	290	1938
Crown Street	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Decker St.	1043	.20 B. G., B. C. & D.	40	780	1926, 1945
Curtis Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Eliot St.	647	.12 B. G.	40	647	1918
Cypress Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	391	.07 D.	21	391	
Dahlgren Street	Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	52	.01 D.	40	52	
Dana Avenue	Brush Hill Road	Town line at Hyde Pk.	497	.09 B. M.	50	497	1887
Darby Road	Thacher St.	St. Mary's Rd.	319	.06 B. M.	50	319	1936
Dean Road	Pleasant St.	Pine Ave.	489	.09 D.	30	489	
Decker Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	1417	.27 B. C. & D.	30	561	1936, 1942
Denmark Avenue	Squantum St.	Private land	663	.13 B. C.	40	663	1945
Dexter Street	Norman St.	Lafayette St.	828	.16 D.	50	828	
Dill Street	Brush Hill Road	Private land	1585	.30 D.	50	1585	
Dollar Lane	Blue Hill Ave.	Canton Ave.	398	.08 B. M.	50	398	
Dudley Lane	Adams St.	Public land	2400	.45 G. & D.	40	2400	
Dyer Avenue	Blue Hills Parkway	Warren Ave.	1528	.29 B. M. & B. G.	50	1528	1904, 1910
Eaton Street	Washington St.	Town line at Quincy	528	.10 B. G.	40	528	1889
Edge Hill Road	Pleasant St.	Adams St.	4471	.85 B. C. & B. M.	50-73	4471	1888, 93, 95, 1930
Edward Avenue	Wyndmere Rd.	Private land	453	.09 B. C.	50	453	1938
Elleen Road	Blue Hill River Rd.	Private Land	321	.06 B. M.	50	321	
Eliot Circle	Eliot St.	Private land	212	.04 B. G.	30	212	
Eliot Street	Adams St.	Blue Hills Parkway	7470	1.41 B. C. & B. M.	40-55	7470	1914, 1915
Eliot Avenue	Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	80	.01 B. G.	50	80	1882, 88, 93
Ellsworth Road	St. Agatha Rd.	Private Land	214	.04 D.	40	214	
Elm Lawn	Canton Avenue	Private land	250	.05 D.	30	250	
Elm Street	Canton Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1807	.34 B. C.	40	1807	1911, 1947

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			Feet	Miles					
Elmwood Ave.	Town line at Granite Pl.	Town line at Quincy	100	.02	B.M.	40		100	1930, 1942
Elton Road	Fuller's Lane	Private land	769	.14	B.M. & B.C.	40	769		1937
Emerson Road	Granite Ave.	Alvin Ave.	1180	.22	B.C.	40	1180		1896
Engine Road	Clapp St.	Walnut St.	602	.11	B.G.	25	602	467	1945
Essex Road	Decker St.	Hudson St.	834	.16	B.C. & D.	40	367		1934, 1951
Fairbanks Road	Central Ave.	Walnut St.	1084	.20	B.M.	50	1084		1928
Fairfax Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	712	.13	B.M.	40	712		1938
Fairlawn Avenue	Catherine Rd.	Meagher Ave.	212	.04	B.C.	40	212		
Fairmount Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	504	.10	B.M.	40	504		
Faraday Street	Dill Street	Town line at Hyde Park	158	.03	D.	40		158	1938, 44
Fenemcroft Road	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Victoria St.	2212	.42	B.C.	40	2212		80-55
Forbes Road	Adams Street	Private land	2004	.38	B.C.	50	2004		1948, 1952
Forest Street	Hillside St.	Blue Hills Reservation	1493	.28	B.G.	30	1493		
Francis Street	Elliot St.	Met. Transit Authority	264	.05	G.	40		264	
Franklin Street	Adams St.	Alvin Avenue	1855	.35	B.C., G. & D.	40	1276	579	1939
Frothingham Street	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	917	.17	B.C.	40	917		1910
Fuller's Lane	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1985	.38	B.G. & G.	20-24		1985	
Galen Street	Bailey Ave.	Lynman Rd.	244	.05	D.	40	244		
Garden Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Private land	1255	.24	B.M. & D.	*	905	350	1930
Garfield Avenue Ext.	Van Brunt St.	Farraday St.							
Garfield Road	Marilyn Rd.	Rustlewood Rd.	404	.08	B.C.	40	404		1951
Gaskins Road	Valley Rd.	Maple St.	635	.12	G.	40	635		
Gerald Road	Pleasant Street	Private Land	1621	.30	B.C.	40	1214	407	1953
Gibbons Street	Audubon Road	Pine Tree Brook Taking	464	.09	D.	40		464	
Gile Road	Canton Avenue	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1875	.36	G. & D.	50	1875		1950
Glendale Road	Elton Rd.	Bartons Lane	608	.11	B.C.	50	608		1942
Gordon Road	Pleasant St.	Public land	625	.12	B.C.	50	625		1938
Governors Road	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	2725	.52	B.C. & B.M.	40	2725		1930, 35, 36
Gov. Stoughton Lane	Canton Ave.	Public land	1570	.29	B.G. & G.	30	1570		1900, 1913
Grafton Avenue	Edge Hill Rd.	Alden Rd.	1267	.24	B.C.	40-75	1267		1865, 1899
Granite Avenue	Town line at Dorchester	Town line at Quincy	9183	1.74	B.C. & B.M.	65-82	*		1900, 1917
Granite Place	Adams St.	Elmwood Ave.	1462	.28	B.G.	30	1462		1873 Ext.
Green Hollow Lane	Centre Street	Private Land	330	.06	G.	30		330	
Green Street	Canton Ave.	Town line at Canton	785	.15	B.C.	40	†		1945
Greenleaf Road	Windsor Rd.	Standish Rd.	289	.05	B.C.	40	289		
Griggs Lane	Central Ave.	Private land	279	.05	G.	40		279	
Grove Street	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	840	.16	B.C.	40	840		1934, 1952
Guilford Road	Granite Ave.	Granite Ave.	1170	.22	D.	40		1170	
Gulliver Street	Canton Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1782	.34	B.C.	40	1782		1941, 1946

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Gun Hill Street	Centre St.	Pleasant St.	30-50	2901	55 B.G.	30-50	2901	1381	1846
Hallen Avenue	Randolph Avenue	Marshall Road	50	1381	.26 D.	50	2901	520	1938
Harbor View Park	Private land	Private land	170	520	.10 D.	170	5340		1921
Harland Street*	Canton Ave.	Hillside St.	40-45	5340	1.61 B.G.	40-45	1062		1930
Harold Street	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	40	1062	.20 B.C.	40	876		1951
Hawthorne Road	Eliot St.	Briarfield Rd.	40	876	.16 B.G.	40	570		
Hazel Street	Pleasant St.	Private land	40	570	.12 B.C. & D.	40	597		
High Street	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	31	597	.11 B.M.	31	288		
Highfield Circle	Brook Rd.	Private land	40-70	288	.05 B.C.	40-70	5524		
Highland Street	Canton Ave.	Randolph Ave.	30-40	5524	1.05 B.M. & B.G.	30-40	811		
Hillcrest Road	Brook Rd.	Brae Burn Rd.	40	811	.15 B.M.	40	†		
Hillside Street	Randolph Ave.	Town line at Canton	30-100	14553	2.76 B.C., B.M. & B.G.	30-100	†		
Hills View Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Brush Hill Rd.	40	922	.18 B.C.	40	922		
Hinckley Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	40	2880	.55 B.M. & B.G.	40	2880		
Hollis Street	Olis St.	Private land	40	275	.05 B.C.	40	275		
Holmes Lane	Adams St.	Edge Hill Rd.	40	794	.15 B.G.	40	794		
Horton Place	Canton Ave.	Private land	18-24	800	.15 B.C. & G.	18-24	800		
Houghton Road	Granite Ave.	Squantum St.	40	845	.16 B.C.	40	845		
Houston Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	20	1000	.19 B.M. & D.	20	1000		
Howard Street	Brook Rd.	Private land	50	251	.05 B.G.	50	1778		
Howe Street	Blue Hills Parkway	Public land	40-50	1778	.34 B.M. & B.G.	40-50	295		
Hoy Terrace	Washington St.	Private land	30	295	.06 B.M.	30	939		
Hudson Street	Emerson Rd.	Belcher Circle	40	939	.18 B.C.	40	850		
Huntington Road	Murray Ave.	Murray Ave.	40	850	.16 B.C.	40	1218		
Hurlcroft Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Ferncroft Rd.	40	1218	.23 B.C.	40	904		
Hutchinson Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Private land	40	1345	.25 B.G. & D.	40	1135		
Kahler Avenue	Squantum St.	Cabot St.	50	1135	.21 B.C.	50	427		
Kenilworth Road	Randolph Ave.	Adams St.	40	427	.08 B.G.	40	260		
Kevin Road	Washington St.	Private land	30	260	.05 B.M.	30	952		
Lafayette Street	Blue Hills Parkway	Thacher St.	40	952	.18 B.G.	40	626		
Lancaster Lane	Otis St.	Westvale Road	50	626	.12 B.C.	50	540		
Landon Road	Robbins Street	Craig Street	50	540	.10 B.C.	50	684		
Lantern Lane	Blue Hill Ave.	Roosevelt St.	40	684	.13 B.G.	40	497		
Laurel Road	Valley Rd.	Columbine Rd.	40	497	.09 G.	40	763		
Lawndale Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Robbins St.	50	763	.14 B.M.	50	562		
Lawrence Road	Thompson Lane	Canton Ave.	40	562	.11 B.M.	40	720		
Libby Road	Thacher St.	Kahler Ave.	40	720	.14 B.M.	40	676		
Lincoln Street	Otis St.	Kenilworth Rd.	50	676	.13 B.C.	50	758		
Lindbergh Road	Pleasant St.	Barbons Lane	30	758	.15 B.M. & B.C.	30	786		
Lochland Street	Adams St.	Squantum St.	30-40	548	.10 B.G. & B.C.	30-40	548		
	Thacher St.	Brook Rd.	25-30	786	.15 B.M.	25-30	229		
	Randolph Ave.	Private land	50	229	.04 D.	50	904		
	California Ave.	Neponset River Reservation		904	.17 D.				

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			Feet	Miles					
Lodge Street	Randolph Ave.	Pleasant St.	980	.19	B.C.	40	980		1941
Longwood Road	Windor Rd.	Standish Rd.	506	.10	B.M.	40		506	
Lothrop Avenue	Churchill St.	Decker St.	1065	.20	B.C.	30	1065		1936
Lufbery Street	Pleasant St.	Roosevelt St.	518	.10	B.G.	40		518	
Lyman Road	Pleasant St.	Cypress Road	2960	.56	B.G. & D.	40		2960	
Magnolia Road	Walnut Street	Bonad Road	902	.17	B.C.	40-50	902		1950
Maitland Street	Pleasant St.	Lodge St.	485	.09	B.C.	40	485		1941
Maple Street	Central Ave.	Oak Rd.	1520	.29	B.M. & B.G.	40	1520		1885, 1898
Mardon Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Private Land	200	.04	D.	50		200	
Margaret Road	Canton Avenue	Atherton Street	1197	.23	D.	50		1197	
Marilyn Road	Brook Road	Allerton Road	971	.18	B.C.	40	971		1939
Marr Crest Drive	Forbes Road	Private land	575	.11	B.C.	50	575		1952
Marshall Road	Highland Street	Woodside Drive	982	.19	D.	50		982	
Martin Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1153	.22	B.C. & B.M.	40	153		1939, 40, 41
Martin Terrace	Bryant Ave.	Private land	281	.05	B.G.	22		281	
Mathaurs Street	Pleasant Street	Clay St.	830	.16	B.C.	40	830		1952
Maxwell Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Artwill St.	420	.08	D.	40		420	
McKinnon Avenue	Pleasant St.	Public land	409	.08	B.C.	40	409		1942
Meadow Lane	Hallen Avenue	Woodside Drive	500	.09	D.	50		500	
Meagher Avenue	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1142	.22	B.M.	40	1142		1931
Mechanic Street	Adams St.	Granite Ave.	545	.10	B.G.	33	545		1938
Melbourne Road	Osborne Rd.	Alvin Ave.	414	.08	B.C.	40	414		1930
Meredith Circle	Reedsdale Rd.	Reedsdale Rd.	1361	.26	B.M.	46	1361		1884
Metropolitan Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	1526	.29	B.M.	50	1526		
Miller Avenue	Glendale Rd.	Private land	138	.03	G.	50		138	
Milton Hill Road	Adams St.	Private land	451	.09	B.C.	50	451		1939
Milton Street	Beale St.	Town line at Quincy	146	.03	B.M.	40	146		1932
Milton Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Town line at Hyde Park	2906	.55	B.M.	50	2906		1877
Mingo Street	Canton Ave.	Park St.	900	.17	B.C.	40	900		1948
Morton Road	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	1307	.25	B.M. & B.G.	40	1307		1906, 07, 27
Morton Terrace	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Private land	418	.08	B.G.	40	418		1907
Mulcherry Road	Pleasant St.	Public land	388	.07	G.	40		388	
Murray Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	445	.08	B.C.	40	445		1940
Myers Lane	Canton Ave.	Robbins St.	540	.10	D.	15-18		540	
Nahanton Avenue	Randolph Ave.	Blue Hills Reservation	2200	.42	B.C. & D.	40	441	1759	1949
Nancy Road	Gerald Rd.	Lyman Road	1240	.23	B.C.	40	918	322	1953
Nash Street	St. Agatha Rd.	N. Y. N. H., & H. R. R.	187	.04	B.C.	40-60	187		1936
Neponset Val. Pkwy.	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	2780	.53	B.M. & B.G.	190-330	*		
New Bedford Street	Town Line at Hyde Park	Town Line at Hyde Park	765	.14	D.	40		765	
Norman Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Roosevelt St.	738	.14	B.G.	40		738	
North Russell Street	Russell St.	Randolph Ave.	476	.09	B.G.	30	476		1889

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Norway Road	Cliff Rd.	561	.11 B.G.	40	561	1923
Oak Road	Eliot St.	660	.13 B.G.	40	660	1898
Oak Street	Brook Road	1281	24 B.M. & B.G.	40	1281	1895, 1904
Orchard Road	Pleasant St.	561	.11 D.	40	561	
Orono Street	Thacher St.	283	.05 B.M.	40	283	1912
Osborne Road	Emerson Rd.	374	.07 B.C.	40	374	1937
Otis Street	Adams St.	1829	.35 B.C.	40	1829	1898
Pagoda Circle	Pagoda Street	1170	.22 B.C. & G.	40	523	1944, 1953
Pagoda Street	Blue Hill Ave.	1274	.24 B.C.	40	1274	1944, 1953
Paradise Road	Fencroft Rd.	680	.13 G. & D.	40	680	
Park Street	Centre St.	878	.17 B.C. & D.	40	878	1948
Parkway Crescent	Blue Hills Reservation	1314	.25 B.M.	40-50	1314	1931, 1932
Phyllis Lane	Pine Tree Brook Taking	329	.06 D.	50	329	
Pierce Street	Nancy Road	896	.17 B.G.	30-35	896	
Pilgrim Road	Granite Ave.	390	.07 B.M.	40	390	
Pillon Road	Town line at Quincy	967	.18 B.C.	40	967	1932
Pine Avenue	Hurlcroft Rd.	1600	.30 G.	15	1600	1939, 1947
Pine Grove Street	Private land	641	.12 B.C.	40	641	1941
Pleasant Street	Squantum St.	8458	1.61 B.C., B.M. & B.G.	25-64	8458	1872*, 1931
Plymouth Avenue	Adams St.	1455	.28 B.G.	40-75	1455	1929
Pond Street	Town line at Quincy	628	.12 B.C., B.M.	33	628	1931, 1947
Pope Hill Road	Private land	587	.11 B.C.	50	587	1952
Prince Street	Private land	683	.18 B.C.	40	683	1953
Quarry Lane	Truro Lane	571	.11 B.C. & D.	40	571	1948
Quentin Street	Pleasant St.	465	.09 D.	40	465	
Randolph Avenue	Prince St.	16806	3.18 C.C., B.C. & B.M.	60-99	†	1884, 1947
Reed Street	Town line at Quincy	443	.08 B.G.	45	443	
Reedsdale Road	Highland St.	5434	1.03 B.M.	74	5434	1884
Reservat Road	Pleasant St.	1536	.29 B.C. & B.M.	40	1536	1929, 1946
Revere Street	Edge Hill Rd.	1100	.21 B.C.	40	1100	1948
Ridge Road	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1328	.25 B.G.	40	1328	
Riverside Avenue	Columbine Rd.	700	.13 D.	35	700	
Robbins Street	Private land	3461	.66 B.G.	35-45	3461	
Rock View Road	Brush Hill Rd.	486	.09 B.G.	40	486	1898
Rockwell Avenue	Beale St.	568	.11 B.G.	40	568	1927
Rockwell Place	Private land	238	.05 B.C.	40	238	1945
Rose Street	Rockwell Ave.	820	.16 D.	40	820	
Rowe Street	Spruce St.	1216	.23 B.C. & B.M.	40	1216	1928, 1939
Rugles Lane	Governors Rd.	1795	.34 G.	20-30	1795	
Russell Street	Central Ave.	819	.16 B.G.	40	819	1889
Rustlewood Road	Randolph Ave.	946	.18 B.C.	40	946	1942
St. Agatha Road	Central Ave.	694	.13 B.C.	40	694	1936
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St. Mary's Road	Thacher St.	Brook Rd.	940	.18	B.C. & B.M.	50-60	940	2100	1936,37,38
Sassamon Avenue	Randolph Ave.	Blue Hills Reservation	2100	.40	G. & D.	40	40	411	
Savin Street	Ferncroft Rd.	Pagoda Circle	411	.08	D.	40	40		1887
School Street	Central Ave.	Randolph Ave.	2737	.52	B.M. & B.G.	40	2737		1877
Sheldon Street	State St.	Town line at Quincy	870	.16	B.G.	40	870		1940
Sheridan Drive	Lawndale Rd.	Woodchester Drive	590	.11	B.C.	50	590		1953
Sias Lane	Centre Street	Coolidge Rd.	1290	.24	B.C. G. & D.	24-50	420	870	
Silver Brook Road	Eileen Road	Private land	1075	.20	B.C. & D.	50	50	1075	
Smith Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Beacon St.	1531	.29	B.M. & B.G.	40	1531		1892
Spafford Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1105	.21	B.C.	35	1105		1907
Spruce Street	Clay St.	Lynn Rd.	834	.16	D.	40	40	834	*
Squantum Street	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	3568	.67	B.C. & B.M.	40-75	3568		1939,1941
Standish Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	1534	.29	B.C.	50	1534		1939
Standon Road	Fairbanks Rd.	Magnolia Rd.	346	.07	B.C.	40	346		1877
State Street	Plymouth Ave.	Bryant Ave.	648	.12	B.G.	40	648		
Stoddard Lane	Centre Lane	Private land	119	.02	D.	50	50	119	
Summit Street	Metropolitan Ave.	Town line at Hyde Park	36		B.G.	40	36		
Sumner Street	Truro Lane	Private land	525	.10	B.C.	50	525		1952
Sunnyside Road	Pond Street	Town line at Quincy	95	.02	B.C.	33	95		1947
Taff Road	Hurlcroft Rd.	Pillon Rd.	322	.06	B.C.	40	322		1937
Taylor Road	Fairbanks Rd.	Magnolia Rd.	210	.04	B.C.	50	210		1951
Thacher Street	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	4843	.92	B.C., & B.M.	40	4843		1877
The Ledgeway	Canton Ave.	Private land	420	.07	G.	55	55	420	
Thistle Avenue	Granite Ave.	Riverside Ave.	755	.14	B.C.	33	755		1951
Thompson Lane	Brook Rd.	Reedsdale Rd.	813	.15	B.M.	40	813		1932
Trout Brook Avenue	Robbins St.	Private land	325	.06	G.	50	325		
Truman Highway	Blue Hills Parkway	Town line at Hyde Park	5835	1.11	B.C.	100-300	†		1931
Truman Highway	Town line at Hyde Park	Town line at Hyde Park	715	.14	B.C.	100	††		1931
Truro Lane	Landon Road	Ferncroft Rd.	2153	.41	B.C. & D.	40-50	1173	980	1948-50-52
Tucker Street	Brook Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	668	.13	B.G.	33	668		1907
Union Avenue	Oak St.	Private land	308	.07	G.	20-30	308		1898
Valley Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	1520	.29	B.M.	40	1520		1936
Valley Road Extn.	Eliot St.	Met. Transit Authority	225	.04	B.C.	40	225		
Van Brunt Street	Dill Street	Town line at Hyde Park	180	.03	D.	40	180		1930
Verndale Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Lothrop Ave.	365	.07	B.M.	30	365		1945
Victory Avenue	Town Line at Quincy	Private land	166	.03	B.C.	40	166		1953
Victoria Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Ferncroft Rd.	990	.19	B.C. & D.	40	98	892	
Vinewood Road	Pleasant St.	(Gordon Road	540	.10	B.C.	50	540		1938

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Thacher St.	Public land	276	.05 B.M.	30	276	1929
Hawthorne Rd.	Fairfax Rd.	290	.05 B.M.	40	290	1930
Blue Hill Ave.	Brush Hill Rd.	917	.17 B.C.	40	917	1951
Brook Rd.	Centre St.	1241	.24 B.G.	40	1241	1928, 1946
Reservation Rd.	Edge Hill Rd.	1268	.24 B.M. & B.C.	40	1268	1933
Eliot St.	Private land	397	.08 B.C.	40	397	1948
Clapp St.	Reedsdale Rd.	885	.17 B.M.	50	885	1907
Governors Rd.	Webster Rd.	602	.11 B.C. & D.	40	170	1889
Blue Hills Parkway	Public land	2019	.38 B.M. & B.G.	50	2019	1941
Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	1400	.27 B.M. & B.G.	40	1400	1934, 1952
Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1684	.32 B.C. & D.	40	909	1931
Canton Ave.	Thacher St.	2242	.42 B.C. & B.G.	50-100	1455	1930
Blue Hills Parkway	Laurel Rd.	490	.09 B.M.	30	490	
Otis St.	Private land	284	.05 B.M.	40	284	
Meagher Ave.	Private land	178	.03 D.	50		178
Brook Hill Rd.	Private land	711	.13 B.G.	40	711	1906
Edge Hill Rd.	Pleasant St.	825	.16 B.G.	50	825	1944
Adams St.	Town Landing	528	.10 B.M.	20-40	528	1916
Canton Ave.	Canton Ave.	1448	.27 B.C., B.G. & D.	40-50	400	1912
Riverside Ave	N.Y., N.H. & H. R.R.	200	.04 D.	20	200	
Clifton Rd.	Public land	440	.08 B.C.	40	440	1945
Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	372	.07 B.M.	50	372	1874
Eliot St.	Blue Hills Parkway	708	.13 B.G.	40	708	1921
Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	910	.17 B.M.	40	910	1931
Warren Ave.	Audubon Rd.	500	.10 B.M.	40	500	1928
Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	1610	.31 G.	40	1610	
Granite Ave.	Alvin Ave.	1621	.31 B.C. & B.M.	40	1621	1930, 37.62
Thacher St.	Clapp St.	258	.05 B.G.	25	258	
Lawndale Rd.	Brook Rd.	593	.11 B.C.	40-50	593	1940
Canton Ave.	Private land	4814	.91 B.G. & G.	40	650	1913, 1915
Private Land	Private Land	1329	.25 D.	50	1329	
Pleasant St.	Private land	159	.10 D.	30	500	
Libby Rd.	Public land	159	.03 G.	30	159	
Pleasant St.	Public land	464	.09 B.C.	50	464	1938
Total Feet		517,600			432,452	85,148
Total Miles in Milton		98.03	Town State	Miles Miles	68.67 13.23	16.13

C.C. = Cement Concrete
B.C. = Bituminous Concrete

B.M. = Bituminous Macadam
B.G. = Bituminous Gravel

G. = Gravel
D. = Dirt

STREET DIRECTORY

MISCELLANEOUS DATA RELATING TO MILTON

Area of Town	8448 acres or 13.2 square miles
Area of Water Surface	149 acres or .23 square miles
Area of M.D.C. Reservation in Town.....	1818 acres or 2.84 square miles
Business Area East Milton (exclusive of streets) .	11.65 acres
Business Area Milton Village (exclusive of streets)	16.42 acres
Business Area East side of Granite Ave. at Neponset River	6.15 acres
Length of Public Streets	68.67 miles
Length of State Highways	13.23 miles
Length of Metropolitan Park Roadways	7.078 miles
Extent of Town North and South	5.339 miles
Extent of Town East and West	5.094 miles
Elevation of crest of center line Adams Street ..	143 ft.
Elevation of Adams Street at Granite Avenue....	49 ft.
Elevation of Adams Street at Eliot Street.....	36 ft.
Elevation of Canton Avenue at Town Hall	111 ft.
Elevation of Canton Avenue at Blue Hills Parkway	48 ft.
Elevation of Randolph Avenue at Reedsdale Road	125 ft.
Elevation of Randolph Avenue at Hillside Street	158 ft.
Elevation center line Brush Hill Road near Robbins Street	206 ft.
Elevation center line Brush Hill Road at center line Canton Avenue	209 ft.
Elevation summit Great Blue Hill.....	640 ft.

All elevations figured from Boston Base which is mean low tide water at Charlestown Navy Yard.

Milton Public Libraries:

Main Library—Canton Avenue at Reedsdale Road., Tel. BL 8-5707.
Branch Library—Edge Hill Road near Adams Street, Tel. BL 8-1733.
Kidder Branch—Blue Hills Parkway, opposite Willoughby Rd., Tel. BL 8-5299.

Milton Fire Stations:

Central Fire Station—Canton Avenue rear of Town Hall, Tel. BL 8-1980
Engine No. 2—Corner Adams Street and Granite Avenue.
Engine No. 4—Corner Blue Hill Avenue and Atherton Street.

Milton Police Station:

Central Avenue near Eliot Street, Tel. BL 8-4027.

Milton Draft Board #125:

Associates Bldg., Tel. CU 6-4973.

Milton Hospital:

92 Highland Street, Tel. CU 6-4600.

ALEXANDER E. MANNING,
Town Engineer.

TOWN OFFICERS

LIST OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 1953—Continued

PRECINCT 3

Term expires March 1956 (Eleven)

Bremer, Clifton L., 100 Valley Rd.
Bryant, Lincoln, 149 Randolph Ave.
Burgin, C. Rodgers, 138 Central Ave.
Canon, George A., Jr., 11 Capen St.
Gates, Charles I., 43 Valley Rd.
Hadlock, Russell S., 115 Canton Ave.
Howland, Alice F., 144 Randolph Ave.
King, Hervey W., 120 Canton Ave.
Marden, S. Frances, 66 Morton Rd.
Morris, Sarah G., 179 School St.
Murdock, Warren J., 16 Allen Circle

Vickerson

Term expires March 1955 (Eleven)

Baker, Edwin O., 104 Canton Ave.
Bennett, Samuel C., 36 Westside Rd.
Cruckshank, Blake G., 31 Waldo Rd.
Darling, Newton P., 23 Russell St.
Eshleman, Frank M., 84 Columbine Rd.
Evans, Dwight D., Jr., 50 Canton Ave.
Hard, Roy H., 155 Elliot St.
Hankins, Everett H., 60 Columbine Rd.
Palmer, Henry W., 29 Canton Ave.
Pavoni, Leonard M., 26 Valley Rd.
Watson, Henry R., Jr., 20 Canton Ave.

Fisch, Clifton

Term expires March 1954 (Eleven)

Brooks, Francis F., 134 Adams St.
Byers, Randolph K., 277 Adams St.
Crocker, Seth C., 184 School St.
Dudley, Paul F., 185 School St.
Farnham, William H., 33 Russell St.
Hauesser, Oscar W., 42 Dudley Lane
Isley, John P., 26 Columbine Rd.
Luther, C. Fisher, 5 Morton Rd.
Swift, H. M. Steel, 64 Canton Ave.
Trumbull, James C., 10 Morton Terr.
Watson, Paul B., Jr., 210 Randolph Ave.

Ex-Officio:

Batchelder, Charles F., Jr., 71 Valley Rd.
Frederick, Frank B., 45 Morton Rd.
Richmond, Carleton R., 273 Adams St.
Rogerson, John E., 114 Canton Ave.

PRECINCT 4

Term expires March 1956 (Twelve)

Anderson, Roger B., 38 Magnolia Rd.
Cappers, Murray A., 36 Wendell Park
Carlson, Harry E., 84 Audubon Rd.
Connolly, Joseph, 372 Blue Hills Pkway.
Farrell, Edward J., 96 Warren Ave.
Hiney, Francis J., Jr., 37 Bonad Rd.
Keddy, James P., 39 Winthrop St.
Manning, William P., 133 Gulliver St.
McGee, Edna L., 2 Bonad Rd.
McPeake, Paul V., 60 Fairbanks Rd.
Norris, Jeremiah J., 101 Clapp St.
Thompson, Charles M., Jr., 368 Blue Hills Pkway.

Term expires March 1955 (Twelve)

Baker, Newton S., 54 Fairbanks Rd.
Ballard, James F., 17 Dyer Ave.
Campbell, William M., 20 Lincoln St.
Creedon, John F., 190 Thatcher St.
Crosby, Gilbert S., 116 Dyer Ave.
Garland, Harold B., 129 Houston Ave.
Gibbons, Thomas M., 61 Warren Ave.
Melvin, Harold W., 44 Houston Ave.
Nazaro, C. John, 456 Central Ave.
Peterson, Walter F., 60 Walnut St.
White, John J., 19 Revere St.
White, William H., 46 Houston Ave.

Term expires March 1954 (Twelve)

Campbell, George L., 37 Wendell Park
Farrington, William F., 112 Dyer Ave.
Fisch, Clifton L., 6 Taylor Rd.
Hibbard, Charles L., Jr., 49 Walnut St.
King, Arthur E., 104 Elm St.
Marcy, Ralph W., 86 Wendell Park
Marshall, Ernestine G., 85 Houston Ave.
Mathewson, Stephen G., 47 Warren Ave.
McGee, James J., 2 Bonad Rd.
Mullen, William W., 180 Thatcher St.
Powell, Frederick C., 26 Meacher Ave.
Reid, Helen J., 33 Harold St.

LIST OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 1953—Continued

PRECINCT 5

Term expires March 1956 (Sixteen)
 Alexander, Benjamin R., 143 Woodland Rd.
 Barton, Richard M., 202 Churchills Lane
 Batting, Kenneth E., 316 Randolph Ave.
 Cluett, Eleanor L., 267 Hillside St.
 Craig, Charles E., 25 Mathews St.
 Dyon, Edward, 1122 Canton Ave.
 Edwards, Teresa P., 202 Reedsdale Rd.
 Fitzgerald, James F., 1147 Canton Ave.
 Haines, Craig B., 6 Lantern Lane
 Hearnace, Nelson F., 592 Brush Hill Rd.
 Jackson, Donald M., 164 Pleasant St.
 Lunt, Irving G., 12 Coolidge St.
 Perry, Richard, 203 Hillside St.
 Porter, Earle F., 21 Mingo St.
 Randlett, A. Douglass, 26 Thompson Lane
 Wendell, Edward E., 1384 Canton Ave.

Term expires March 1955 (Sixteen)
 Abell, Howard, 143 Centre St.
 Ayer, James B., 1350 Canton Ave.
 Campbell, Malcolm D., 214 Highland St.
 Gromin, Joseph M., 30 Thompson Lane
 Groskey, Frances L., 261 Reedsdale Rd.
 Folsom, Owen E., 31 Frothingham St.
 Hamilton, Edward P., 145 Dudley Lane
 Pierce, Lincoln W., 48 Centre St.
 Robbins, Walter S., 133 Milton St.
 Scott, David T., 41 Meredith Circle
 Swift, Russell, 435 Highland St.
 Thurber, James Perry, 640 Harland St.
 Whiteside, Howard S., 93 Hillside St.
 Withington, Paul R., 350 Randolph Ave.
 Wolcott, Roger, 1733 Canton Ave.
 Wolcott, Samuel H., Jr., 1726 Canton Ave.

Term expires March 1954 (Sixteen)
 Calderwood, Christine T., 270 Hillside St.
 Campbell, James F., 308 Hillside St.
 Cronin, George J., 19 Lantern Lane
 Criley, John M., 85 Meredith Circle
 Devens, Charles, 703 Brush Hill Rd.
 Fortes, Hildegard B., 27 Forest St.
 Grabfield, G. Philip, 27 Forest St.
 Jensen, John W., 874 Brush Hill Rd.
 Macdonald, Sylvia L., 1466 Canton Ave.
 Martin, Roger H., 1238 Canton Ave.
 Meredith, Irving, 67 Martin Rd.
 Murray, A. Ruth, 12 Spafford Rd.
 Sawyer, Edward L., 1580 Canton Ave.
 Schmidt, Richard H., 25 Spafford Rd.
 Swift, Robert W., Jr., 704 Brush Hill Rd.
 Webb, Parker, 36 Spafford Rd.

Ex-Officio:

Ames, George H., 159 Hillside St.
 Jaques, Benjamin F., 246 Highland St.
 Johnson, Edward C., 241, 1196 Canton Ave.
 Leland, Joseph D., 823 Br. Hill Rd.
 Marshall, Fred Y., 30 Hills View Rd.
 Sheldon, John E., 1253 Canton Ave.

PRECINCT 6

Term expires March 1956 (Fifteen)
 Arnitage, G. Nelson, 115 Otis St.
 Baxter, Jesse B., 175 Edge Hill Rd.
 Bell, Tilton S., 7 Webster Rd.
 Bent, William E., 31 McKinnon Ave.
 Caruso, Arthur T., 100 Plymouth Ave.
 Dunlap, Willard F., 384 Pleasant St.
 Gunning, Thomas S., Jr., 1083 Brook Rd.
 Hinds, Ray A., 52 Hollis St.
 Keyes, John T., 5 Cary Ave.
 Mersch, Henry E., Jr., 21 Waldeck Rd.
 Murphy, Walter J., 4 Augusta Rd.
 O'Donnell, Charles H., 17 Webster Rd.
 Pierce, Ruth E., 297 Adams St.
 Randlett, Frederick J., 27 Braeburn Rd.
 Ryan, Timothy G., 26 Hillcrest Rd.

Term expires March 1955 (Fifteen)

Bates, Francis C., 453 Adams St.
 Caldwell, William L., 16 Andrews Rd.
 Coleman, Harold F., 111 Otis St.
 Collins, Charles F., 205 Edge Hill Rd.
 Goosray, Joseph, 1233 Brook Rd.
 Lake, Edward P., 22 Glendale Rd.
 Lord, Nathaniel C., 401 Adams St.
 Mathieu, Louis J., 25 Chesterfield Rd.
 Miller, Herbert H., 305 Pleasant St.
 Moulton, George F., 95 Plymouth Ave.
 Ochs, Paul F., 47 Rowe St.
 Rowe, Carleton A., 454 Adams St.
 Stellberger, Charles A., Jr., 36 Hazel St.
 Stout, Frank A., Jr., 3 Hoy Terr.
 Walters, Frances H., 55 Rowe St.

Term expires March 1954 (Fifteen)

Cameron, Donald F., 80 Cary Ave.
 Colby, Harold L., 71 Waldeck Rd.
 Duggan, Mary A., 15 St. Agatha Rd.
 Farrell, Joseph A., 369 Pleasant St.
 Hammond, Christopher G., 21 Otis St.
 Harkins, Francis J., 21 Chesterfield Rd.
 Harris, Leroy S., 300 Edge Hill Road
 Hinds, Harriette F., 62 Hollis St.
 Hoxie, William C., 7 Westbourne St.
 McConigle, John J., 27 St. Agatha Rd.
 Moulton, Roy E., 53 Cary Ave.
 Reddy, John J., 449 Pleasant St.
 Russell, James G., 209 Edge Hill Rd.
 Salzgeber, Gustave A., 63 Plymouth Ave.
 Snyder, Frederick D., 262 Edge Hill Road

Ex-Officio:

Babcock, Josiah, 232 Edge Hill Rd.
 Bowie, Robert, 42 Webster Rd.
 Craig, Samuel G., 343 Pleasant St.

TOWN OFFICERS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Eldridge, Reuben T.	59 Concord Avenue	Engraver
Elsden, Francis J.	10 Kahler Avenue	Telephone Co.
Evans, Charles H.	11 Bradford Road	Auditor
Fabian, John T.	40 Blue Hill Terrace Street	Insurance Adjuster
Falvey, Thomas J.	66 Governors Road	Machinist
Fandel, George P.	165 Hinkley Road	Heating Contractor
Fandel, Walter J.	77 Reedsdale Road	Estimator
Faretra, Robert F.	6 Alden Road	Clerical
Farrington, William F.	112 Dyer Avenue	Stone Mason
Faxon, Raymond H.	22 Greenleaf Road	Real Estate Broker
Finn, George R.	10 Lantern Lane	Salesman
Fitzgerald, William P.	102 Decker Street	Salesman
Fitzmaurice, Edward L.	39 Oak Road	Insurance
Folsom, Benjamin F.	69 California Avenue	Buyer
Foster, Elsie M.	18 Pierce Street	Housewife
Fox, Harry T.	6 Eliot Circle	Furniture Dealer
Fraser, Martin E.	78 Belcher Circle	Television Repairman
Freeman, Irene B.	65 Elm Street	Housewife
Friel, James N.	104 Gulliver Street	Mechanic
Gallery, John E.	126 Elm Street	Insurance Executive
Gallivan, Thomas A.	135 Elm Street	Salesman
Gardner, Luther	13 Myers Lane	Commercial Artist
Gibbons, Francis J.	33 Cottage Place	Assistant Treasurer
Gillis, John A.	47 Collamore Street	Carpenter
Gordon, Morris J.	205 Gun Hill Street	Buyer
Graham, Frank H.	35 Alvin Avenue	Executive
Graitge, Paul W.	58 Franklin Street	Salesman
Graves, Edward E.	90 Emerson Road	Salesman
Gray, J. Sherman	16 Concord Avenue	Salesman
Greeley, Julian F.	47 Cabot Street	Warehouse Manager
Grundy, Evelyn D.	730 Brush Hill Road	Housewife
Guarino, James G.	109 Wendell Park—East	Manager
Gustafson, George E.	211 Pleasant Street	Maintenance Supt.
Haigh, William	886 Brush Hill Road	Stock Clerk
Hamel, Wilfred A.	244 Adams Street	Treasurer
Harbour, George W.	60 Valley Road	Comptroller
Harrington, Henry W.	19 Holborn Street	Engraver
Harrison, Thomas	261 Granite Avenue	Safety Engineer
Healey, Francis D.	11 Austin Street	Plumber
Hedge, Francis D.	27 Allerton Road	Salesman
Hennessey, John D.	7 Truro Lane	Salesman
Hersee, Willard G.	46 Reedsdale Road	Wool Business
Hersey, Alfred L.	35 Lodge Street	Factory Worker
Hickey, Walter L.	14 Sheldon Street	Supervisor
Hill, Gladys L.	15 Fairfax Road	Homemaker
Hinds, Harriette F.	52 Hollis Street	Housewife
Hoadley, Frank H.	19 Mathaurs Street	Manager
Hodge, May E.	89 Hudson Street	Housewife
Hogan, Frederick J.	19 Brookside Park	Clerk
Holden, Frederick H.	37 Churchill Street	Machinist
Holmes, Elmer S.	67 Maple Street	Cable Splicer
Howard, George W.	18 Melbourne Road	Carpenter
Howie, Chester G.	69 Garden Street	Accountant
Howland, Alice F.	144 Randolph Avenue	Housewife
Hoxie, Charles B.	61 Washington Street	General Agent
Hunsaker, James P.	179 Dudley Lane	Engineer
Hurley, James C.	51 Curtis Road	Boiler Maker
Jensen, John W.	874 Brush Hill Road	Contractor
Johnson, Charles M.	472 Central Avenue	Machinist
Johnson, Oscar H.	90 Antwerp Street	Machinist
Johnson, William I.	165 Atherton Street	Leather Broker
Jones, Gerard V.	27 Grafton Avenue	Insurance
Kelley, Austin M.	11 Lothrop Avenue	Insurance
Kenney, Theodore E.	38 Houston Avenue	Carpenter
Kinsman, Henry W.	227 Edge Hill Road	Telephone Worker
Kippenberger, William F.	147 Ferncroft Road	Electrician
Klehm, William F.	120 Granite Place	Clerk
Knight, Clarence K.	20 Johnson Street	Bookbinder
LaCroix, Henry E.	20 Lincoln Street	Painter
Landers, William B.	62 Avalon Road	Steel Agent
LaPorta, Fortunata	267 Blue Hills Parkway	Real Estate
Laurie, John R.	63 Blue Hill Avenue	Ice and Fuel Oil Dealer
Law, Laurence W.	67 Robbins Street	Executive

TOWN OFFICERS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Lent, Alice E.	167 Brook Road	Housewife
Lloyd, Waldo E.	7 Squantum Street	Parts Manager
MacDermott, Thomas	30 Vinewood Road	Salesman
MacDonald, Duncan H.	58 Lodge Street	Elec. Contractor
MacDonald, Olive E.	571 Adams Street	Housewife
MacGaregill, Stanley C.	17 Briarfield Road	Manufacturer
MacWilliam, W. Russell	48 Brush Hill Road	Printer
Mahoney, John A.	20 Orchard Road	Chief Clerk
Manning, M. Joseph, Sr.	583 Adams Street	Retired
Marsden, Anna D.	20 Rock View Road	Housewife
Marshall, David R.	50 Hudson Street	Superintendent
Martin, Vivian D.	12 Hillcrest Road	Housewife
Mason, Arthur J.	2 Andrews Road	Estimator
McCawley, Charles A.	344 Central Avenue	Supervisor
McCoy, J. Arthur	41 Brandon Road	Pharmacist
McDonough, Michael J.	64 Elton Road	Salesman
McEntee, Joseph A.	26 Quarry Lane	Retired
McLaughlin, Daniel	27 Harold Street	Salesman
Meeken, Stanley R.	21 Mulberry Road	Salesman
Merrill, Ernestine	71 Fullers Lane	Housewife
Miano, William F.	51 Gulliver Street	Salesman
Milroy, George N.	191 Church Street	Plumber
Molloy, Thomas J., Jr.	6 Morton Terrace	Interviewer
Moore, Margaret H.	18 Brae Burn Road	Clerk
Morrow, Edward T.	3 Landon Road	Insurance
Mortimer, George W.	11 Bailey Avenue	Toolmaker
Mosher, Malcolm P.	67 Revere Street	Supervisor
Mullen, Brian L.	485 Centre Street	Plumber
Murdock, Frank E.	18 Longwood Road	Salesman
Nelson, Eric H.	16 Denmark Avenue	Watchmaker
Nichols, Radcliffe D.	75 Oak Street	Carpenter
Nickerson, Bertram S.	19 Gibbons Street	Accountant
Nilson, Frank G.	16 Aberdeen Road	Supt. Postal Trans.
Norsworthy, Margaret F.	378 Canton Avenue	Housewife
Ovaska, Walter A.	5 Artwill Street	Sales Engineer
Parrow, Arthur E.	74 Brook Road	Shipping Foreman
Pettingill, George H.	109 Blue Hill Avenue	Retired
Phelan, Finton J.	16 Augusta Road	Manager
Pineo, James L.	374 Eliot Street	Unemployed
Pope, Ralph L.	97 Randolph Avenue	Leather Merchant
Power, Henry A.	10 Fairlawn Avenue	Supervisor
Powers, Ralph A.	29 Sias Lane	Electrical Engineer
Prall, John E.	10 Weston Street	Painter
Prentice, Margaret	102 Smith Road	Clerk
Rae, James C.	395 Hillside Street	Solicitor
Randlett, Frederick J.	27 Brae Burn Road	Civil Engineer
Record, Frank G.	37 Parkway Crescent	Accountant
Reddington, John J.	77 Cary Avenue	Electrical Contractor
Reycroft, Charles E.	15 Brackett Street	Assembler
Richards, Ona	27 Fairbanks Road	Housewife
Richardson, Ralph M.	10 Galen Street	Bank Clerk
Rogers, James H.	21 Pillon Road	Printer
Rowbotham, C. Melbourne	42 Hills View Road	Wool Business
Rudischhauser, Ethel M.	23 Harold Street	Housewife
Russell, Lydia M.	17 Landon Road	Housewife
Sanford, Russell M.	96 Capen Street	Auto Mechanic
Sargent, Cordis	18 Byrne Road	Wool Business
Shortle, Charles A.	69 Belcher Circle	Salesman
Shugrue, Edward L.	256 Robbins Street	Executive
Sisson, Richard D.	52 Meagher Avenue	Advertising
Small, Brett A.	43 Beacon Street Circle	Mechanical Engineer
Smith, Charles R.	39 Pine Grove Street	Foundry Worker
Smith, Theodora R.	588 Brush Hill Road	Housewife
Smith, William H.	8 Webster Road	Supervisor
Stephenson, Arthur H.	10 Breck Street	Salesman
Stronge, Roger W.	120 Smith Road	Credit Manager
Sullivan, Stephen F.	33 Hazel Street	Clerk
Sutton, Robert A.	50 Blue Hills Parkway	Electrician
Swanton, John R.	237 Brook Road	Photo Engraver
Taylor, Donald F.	24 Laurel Road	Machinist
Thurman, Irving A.	17 Craig Street	Pressman
Tivnan, Thomas T.	23 Stanton Road	Bank Examiner

TOWN OFFICERS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Occupation</i>
Tripp, Ray W., Jr.	48 Marilyn Road	Securities Dealer
Tuttle, Theodore F.	1050 Canton Avenue	Insurance
Urquhart, Robert A.	25 Crown Street	Accountant
Walker, Everett L.	44 Cedar Terrace Street	Accountant
Wall, Florence L.	93 Brook Road	Secretary
Wallace, Robert S.	9 Cape Cod Lane	Grain Broker
Walsh, Joseph F.	1093 Brook Road	Salesman
Webb, Louise B.	36 Spafford Road	Housewife
Webster, Harry B.	57 Hollis Street	Watchmaker
Weeden, Ellen M.	121 Otis Street	At Home
Weisse, Margaret C.	223 Central Avenue	Housewife
White, Helen A.	1031 Brush Hill Road	Housewife
White, Joseph T.	10 Bonad Road	Salesman
Williamson, Gustaf H.	95 Cliff Road	Time Study Man
Wilson, Alva T.	185 Beacon Street	Chemist
Woods, John L.	72 Reservation Road	Manager
York, Marion M.	25 Waldo Road	Housewife
Ziegler, Louis E.	1206 Brook Road	Clerk

June 25, 1953.

TOWN OFFICERS

PRECINCT OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE SELECTMEN

Under Provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1928

Precinct 1

Roy W. Lincoln	28 Blue Hill Avenue	(87) R	Warden
Harold V. Burt	151 Blue Hill Avenue	(87) R	Deputy Warden
Carl H. Kullen	39 Hudson Street	(87) R	Clerk
Beresford M. Watson	25 Kahler Avenue	(87)	Deputy Clerk
Royal C. Lincoln	28 Blue Hill Avenue	(87) R	Inspector
John J. Donovan	91 Brook Road	(87) D	Inspector
William F. Walsh	21 Tucker Street	(87) D	Dep. Inspector
Joseph B. Mooney	15 Tucker Street	(87)	Dep. Inspector

Precinct 2

Walter H. Cavanaugh	36 Marilyn Road	(87) R	Warden
Frank Delaney	28 Dyer Avenue	(87) R	Deputy Warden
Coleman J. Kennedy	133 Thacher Street	(87)	Clerk
Lawrence D. Donovan	137 Thacher Street	(87)	Deputy Clerk
John J. Ferren	22 Marilyn Road	(87)	Inspector
Theodore E. Parker	55 Marilyn Road	(87) R	Inspector
William J. Schwendemann	6 Kahler Avenue	(87) D	Dep. Inspector
Decran J. Gulesian	20 Kahler Avenue	(87) R	Dep. Inspector

Precinct 3

T. Francis Fallon	162 Eliot Street	(87) D	Warden
Francis J. Ward	76 Eliot Street	(87) D	Deputy Warden
Leonard E. Littlefield	69 Adams Street	(87) R	Clerk
Thomas J. Moore	259 Eliot Street	(87) D	Deputy Clerk
Herman F. Clark	224 Eliot Street	(87) R	Inspector
W. Russell Pierce	14 Rock View Road	(87) R	Inspector
Horace J. Lawrence	13 School Street	(87) D	Dep. Inspector
James F. Henry	60 Eliot Street	(87) D	Dep. Inspector

Precinct 4

Charles E. Cross	51 Houston Avenue	(87) R	Warden
Frank W. Cappers	47 Elm Street	(86) R	Deputy Warden
Alfred W. Porter	17 Bonad Road	(86) D	Clerk
Robert J. Shaughnessy	3 Francis Street	(87) D	Deputy Clerk
Benjamin B. B. Coleman	360 Thacher Street	(86) R	Inspector
Alfred V. Huntley, Jr.	103 Wendell Park	(86) R	Inspector
M. Joseph Manning	243 Thacher Street	(86) D	Dep. Inspector
Henry V. Nelson	248 Blue Hills Parkway	(87) R	Dep. Inspector

TOWN OFFICERS

Precinct 5

Frederick W. Kurth	15 Wildwood Road	(86) R	Warden
Stanley F. Snell	25 Lodge Street	(86) R	Deputy Warden
John J. Monahan	98 Pleasant Street	(86) D	Clerk
John H. Houlahan	72 Meredith Circle	(86) D	Deputy Clerk
Nathan L. Pond	212 Centre Street	(86) R	Inspector
Alfred L. Mullen	36 Pleasant Street	(86) R	Inspector
John P. Byrne	942 Blue Hill Avenue	(86) D	Dep. Inspector
Howard A. Smith	208 Churchills Lane	(86) R	Dep. Inspector

Precinct 6

Henry J. Quinn	44 Governors Road	(86) D	Warden
Ralph E. DuMoulin	78 Reservation Road	(86)	Deputy Warden
John T. O'Leary	11 Fullers Lane	(86)	Clerk
Arthur E. Brackett	70 Governors Road	(86) R	Deputy Clerk
Alfred J. Martin	639 Pleasant Street	(86) R	Inspector
Daniel J. O'Leary	11 Hillcrest Road	(86)	Inspector
George F. Moulton	95 Plymouth Avenue	(86) R	Dep. Inspector

Precinct 7

George E. Johnson	162 Church Street	(86) R	Warden
Robert E. Foster	18 Pierce Street	(86) R	Deputy Warden
Thomas W. McCormack	48 Collamore Street	(86)	Clerk
Bradford H. Lewis	78 Washington Street	(86) R	Deputy Clerk
Frank H. Foster, Jr.	18 Pierce Street	(86) R	Inspector
Donald R. Ellis	557 Adams Street	(86) R	Inspector
Arthur S. Forbes	65 Antwerp Street	(86) R	Dep. Inspector
Frank J. Gannon	16 Wood Street	(86) D	Dep. Inspector

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Town of Milton, March 10, 1934

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CHAPTER 1

General Provisions

SECTION 1. The bylaws of the Town adopted March 2, 1902, may be designated as heretofore, as the "Revised Bylaws," but said revised bylaws as heretofore or at this meeting amended may be designated as the General Bylaws.

SECTION 2. So far as the provisions of these bylaws are the same in effect as those of previously existing bylaws, they shall be construed as a continuation of such bylaws but, subject to said limitations and the provisions of the next section, all bylaws of the Town heretofore in force are hereby repealed; provided that this repeal shall not apply to or affect any bylaw, order, or article heretofore adopted, accepting or adopting the provisions of any statute of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 3. These bylaws and the repeal of all bylaws heretofore in force shall not affect any act done, any right accrued, any penalty or liability incurred, or any suit, prosecution, or proceeding, pending at the time when they take effect; nor shall the repeal of any bylaw thereby have the effect of reviving any bylaw theretofore repealed or suspended.

SECTION 4. When in a bylaw anything is prohibited from being done without the license or permission of a certain officer, officers or board, such officer, officers, or board shall have the power to license or permit such thing to be done.

SECTION 5. In all these bylaws the following words and expressions shall, unless inconsistent with the manifest intent, be severally construed as follows:—

The word public way shall include any highway, town way, road, bridge, street, avenue, boulevard, roadway, parkway, lane, sidewalk or square; the owner or occupant of a building or land shall include any sole owner or occupant, and any joint tenant and tenant in common of the whole or of any part of a building or lot of land; words purporting to give a joint authority to three or more officers or other persons shall give such authority to a majority of such officers or persons; the word person may include corporations; words importing the singular number may apply to the plural number, and words importing the masculine gender may apply to the feminine gender.

SECTION 6. Whoever violates any of the provisions of these bylaws whereby any act or thing is enjoined or prohibited, shall, unless other provision is expressly made, forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 7. Whoever shall refuse or neglect to obey any lawful order of any Town officer or board of Town officers, issued under any of these bylaws, directed to him and properly served upon him, shall, in cases not otherwise provided for, forfeit and pay for every such offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 8. Prosecutions for the breach of any of the provisions of these bylaws shall be commenced within six months from such breach.

SECTION 9. Any or all of these bylaws may be repealed or amended or other bylaws may be adopted, at any Town meeting, annual or special, an article containing the subject-matter of the proposed change having been inserted in the warrant for such meeting.

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CHAPTER 2 Town Meetings

SECTION 1. The warrants for all Town meetings shall be directed to the constables of the Town, and notice of such meetings shall be given by posting attested copies of the warrant in each of the post-offices of the Town at least seven days, and by leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling-houses in the Town at least four days, before the day of such meetings.

SECTION 2. The annual meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held upon the first Saturday of March, the polls to be open from eight o'clock in the forenoon until six o'clock in the afternoon for the election of such Town Officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot. All such officers shall be voted for and all such matters shall be determined on official ballots.

SECTION 3. All business except the election of such officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot shall be considered at an adjournment of the annual meeting to the second Saturday of March at one-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

SECTION 4. All motions shall, if required by the Moderator, be reduced to writing before being submitted to the meeting. If a motion is susceptible of division it shall be divided and the question put separately upon each part thereof if ten town meeting members so request.

SECTION 5. Upon taking the question, the sense of the meeting shall be taken by the voices of the town meeting members and the Moderator shall first announce the vote as it appears to him by the sound.

If the Moderator is unable to decide by the sound of the voices or if his announcement made thereupon is doubted by seven town meeting members arising in their places for that purpose, the Moderator shall request the town meeting members to be seated, and shall appoint tellers; the question then shall be distinctly stated, and those in the affirmative and negative respectively shall be requested to rise and stand in their places until they are counted by the tellers, who shall report their count to the Moderator, who thereupon shall announce the vote. If the vote is further doubted and twenty-five town meeting members arise in their places and ask for a division of the meeting by the taking of the yeas and the nays, then the roll of the meeting shall be called in alphabetical order by the Town Clerk, and each town meeting member shall rise in his place if he answers yea or nay when his name is called, and the Moderator shall announce the vote. No town meeting member shall be allowed to vote after the vote is declared.

SECTION 6. No vote shall be reconsidered at the same meeting, except upon a motion made within one hour of the adoption of such vote, unless ordered by two-thirds of the town meeting members present and voting thereon, provided that the time which shall elapse between any adjournment and the next calling to order of the meeting following such adjournment shall be excluded in computing the hour since the adoption of said vote.

SECTION 7. If a motion for the previous question is adopted by vote of the meeting no person shall speak to the motion then under consideration more than once or for longer than five minutes without a vote of permission of the meeting, except that the Chairman of the Warrant Committee may speak again to close the debate, but not for more than five minutes.

SECTION 8. When a question is before the meeting, the following motions, viz:—

to adjourn,
to lay on the table,

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for the previous question,
to postpone to a certain time,
to commit (or recommit) or refer,
to amend or substitute,

shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed in this section; but no article in the warrant shall be finally disposed of by a vote to lay on the table, to postpone indefinitely, or to take no action thereunder. In proposed amendments, involving amounts or dates, the smallest amount and the shortest time shall be put first.

SECTION 9. Any person who is employed as an attorney by another person interested in any matter under discussion at a Town meeting shall disclose the fact of his employment before speaking thereon.

SECTION 10. No appropriation of a sum of money exceeding five hundred dollars shall be made until the subject matter thereof has been considered and estimates reported to the Town, either by the Selectmen or other town officers, or by the Warrant Committee or some committee chosen for the purpose in pursuance of a vote of the Town.

CHAPTER 3

The Warrant Committee

SECTION 1. The Town shall have an advisory committee to be known as the Warrant Committee consisting of fifteen legal voters of the Town. On or before the first day of June in each year the Moderator shall appoint fifteen members to the Warrant Committee each of whom shall serve for a term of one year beginning on the first day of June in the year of appointment.

SECTION 2. The Warrant Committee shall, prior to the fifteenth day of June in each year, meet, at the call of the member thereof first named, for organization by the choice of a chairman and secretary. And they shall meet thereafter from time to time as they may deem advisable.

a. They shall have power to fill vacancies in their number by vote, attested copy of which shall be sent by the secretary to the Town Clerk.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Warrant Committee to inform themselves concerning those affairs and interests of the Town, the subject-matter of which is generally included in the warrants for its Town meeting; and the officers of the Town shall, upon their request, furnish them with facts, figures, and any other information pertaining to their several departments; provided, however, that any such information may be withheld when, in the opinion of the officer or board of officers so requested, the communication thereof might injuriously affect the interests of the Town or its citizens.

SECTION 4. The Warrant Committee shall consider the various articles in the warrants for all the Town Meetings held during the period for which they were appointed including the various articles in the warrant for the annual Town Meeting next after their appointment; they shall also consider all questions submitted to the voters of the Town at any meeting, including State elections; and they shall report in print before all such meetings their estimates and recommendations for the action of the Town. Copies of such reports shall be left at the dwelling houses in the Town at least four days before the day set for consideration of the various articles in the warrant considered by them and at least four days before the day upon which the voters are to consider questions submitted to them at any meeting including State elections.

a. On or before November first of each year each board, committee or officer of the Town shall file with the Selectmen, who shall transmit the same to the Warrant

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Committee, a statement in detail of the appropriation or appropriations recommended by such board, committee or officer for the work under its or his charge for the ensuing year.

b. The Warrant Committee shall include in its report of recommendations for the annual Town Meeting a statement setting forth the total appropriations so requested, the appropriations recommended, and the totals of such appropriations requested and recommended, and an estimate of the tax rate for the ensuing year if such recommendations are adopted.

CHAPTER 4

The Town's Finances and Property

SECTION 1. The Selectmen shall annually, not less than seven days before the annual town meeting, cause to be printed such number of copies of the annual town report as they shall determine to be sufficient for the use of the inhabitants. Such report shall contain a detailed report of all moneys received into and paid out of the Town treasury during the financial year next preceding, with such information and recommendations as the Selectmen may deem proper; the report of the school committee; the records of the meetings of the Town held since the last annual report; the report of the collector of taxes, of receipts, payments and abatements; a list of births, marriages and deaths, to be furnished by the town clerk; statements concerning the condition and funds of the public library and of the cemetery, to be furnished by the trustees thereof respectively, and statements of all other funds belonging to the Town or held for the benefit of its inhabitants; a statement of the liability of the Town on bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness, or otherwise, and of the total money paid the Town for perpetual care of cemetery lots; and such other matters as the said report is required by law to contain, or as may be inserted by the Selectmen under the discretion granted them by law.

SECTION 2. No officer of the Town shall in his official capacity make or pass upon or participate in making or passing upon, any sale, contract or agreement or the terms or amount of any payment in which the Town is interested and in which such officer has any personal interest.

SECTION 3. The Warrant Committee shall send to the Selectmen and to the town accountant certified copies of all votes whereby transfers are made out of the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures.

SECTION 4. The Selectmen shall have full authority as agents of the Town to institute and prosecute suits in the name of the Town or its officers in their official capacity and to appear and defend suits brought against it or its officers in their official capacity, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Town.

SECTION 5. Whenever it shall be necessary to execute any deed conveying land or other instrument required to carry into effect any vote of the Town, the same shall be executed by the Selectmen, or a majority thereof, in behalf of the Town, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Town.

SECTION 6. The Selectmen shall appoint a Town Accountant who shall perform the duties prescribed by law. There shall annually be an audit of the accounts of the Town under the supervision of the State Director of Accounts, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 44, section 35.

SECTION 7. Whenever damages may be recovered against the Town under General Laws, chapter 79, entitled "Eminent Domain," the Selectmen, unless otherwise provided by vote of the Town, may exercise in the name and behalf of the Town all the powers granted in section 39 of said chapter relative to settlement of damages, assumption of betterments, offers of settlement, and other matters in said section contained.

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SECTION 8. The collector of taxes shall collect, under the title of Town Collector, all accounts due the Town, excepting interest on investments of sinking or trust funds. If it shall seem advisable to the town collector that suit or suits should be instituted and prosecuted in the name of the Town, in connection with the collection of any accounts due to the Town, he shall so advise the Selectmen who shall have authority as agents of the Town to institute and prosecute the same.

SECTION 9. In addition to the authority to them granted by section 8, the selectmen shall have authority as agents of the town to settle claims against the town, after receiving the advice of the town counsel, payment for such settlements to be taken from the appropriation for the law department.

SECTION 10. Any Board or Officer in charge of a department may, with the approval of the Selectmen, sell any personal property or material not required by said department to an aggregate amount not exceeding \$300 in value in any one fiscal year.

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SECTION 11. Except as otherwise provided by law the Selectmen shall have custody of deeds, of bonds of Town officers, of insurance policies and of other similar documents owned by the Town.

SECTION 12. No contract shall be awarded for any work or service, other than professional service, to be performed for the Town by an independent contractor, and no purchase of materials, supplies or equipment shall be made, the estimated cost of which in either case is \$300 or more, unless competitive bids have been invited therefor. Such bids shall be invited by the sending of letters of invitation on the same day to such number of vendors, contractors or other qualified persons deemed by the Town Officer, Board or Committee sufficient to obtain fair competition, and, in the case of all such contracts and of purchases estimated to cost \$1,000 or more such bids shall also be invited by public advertisement by at least one insertion in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, said letters to be mailed and said advertisements to be published at least ten days before the time stated for the opening of bids. Such invitation shall state where plans and specifications for proposed work or purchases may be obtained, or may contain such plans and specifications, and shall state the time and place at which bids shall be opened and shall reserve to the Board, Officer or Committee the right to reject any or all bids. All bids shall be opened in public at the time and place specified therefor. No purchase or work for which a contract is proposed shall be split or divided for the purpose of evading the provisions of this Section. This Section shall not apply in cases of emergency requiring immediate action for the preservation of life or the protection of property, nor to the purchase of materials, supplies or equipment for which there is no reasonable substitute by reason of natural or actual monopoly, peculiarity of design or type of article, patent right or copyright, certified by the officer, Board or Committee. All bids submitted, plans and specifications, certificates setting forth the reasons why competitive bids were not invited and contracts shall as soon as practicable be filed with the Town Accountant and shall be kept on file at least three years and shall be open to public inspection at reasonable times.

SECTION 13. Every contract for construction work, whether for alterations, repairs or original construction, the estimated cost of which amounts to \$5,000 or more, shall be accompanied by a suitable bond for the performance of the same, or by the deposit of money or security to the amount of the estimated cost.

SECTION 14. The Town Treasurer shall be the custodian of all moneys, properties and securities of all trust funds, including Cemetery trust funds, heretofore or hereafter given, devised or bequeathed to the Town, and shall with the approval of the Board of Selectmen invest and reinvest the same and expend therefrom moneys as

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directed by the Board of Selectmen. The Town Treasurer shall have power with the approval of the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer and deliver any and all securities and properties so held for such prices or considerations and on such terms and conditions as he and they shall determine. The foregoing provisions shall be subject to and not in derogation of any and all directions or provisions made by donors in wills or other instruments of gift in respect to any such fund or funds.

CHAPTER 5

The Cemetery

SECTION 1. The sole care, superintendence, management and control of the Cemetery shall be intrusted to a Board of five Trustees to serve for the period of five years; one of said Board shall retire and a new member be elected at each annual meeting of the Town.

SECTION 2. Citizens of Milton who are heads of families and have been residents of the Town not less than five years shall be entitled to lots in the Cemetery, allowing one lot to a family subject to these bylaws and the regulations of the Trustees, upon payment of the charges for putting the lot in order; but by unanimous consent of the Trustees the five years' residence requirement may be waived.

SECTION 3. The Trustees may sell lots, when and at such rates as they may deem advisable; provided that the rate shall not be less than two dollars a square foot, and the purchasers shall in some way be connected with Milton people.

SECTION 4. The proprietor of each lot shall cause to be erected, at his own expense, corner-stones, and a step with his name and the number of the lot inscribed on the same, and shall cause his lot to be kept in proper order; and if the proprietor shall omit for thirty days after notice to erect such land marks and to keep the lot in order, the Trustees shall have authority to have the same done at the expense of said proprietor.

SECTION 5. No lot shall be used for any other purpose than as a place of burial for the dead, and no proprietor shall suffer the remains of any person to be deposited within the bounds of his lot for hire; nor shall any proprietor sell or transfer the whole or any part of his lot without the consent of the Trustees.

SECTION 6. If in the judgment of the Trustees any trees or shrubs in any lot shall become detrimental to the adjacent lots or avenues, or dangerous or inconvenient, it shall be the duty of the Trustees to enter upon said lot and to remove said trees and shrubs, or such parts thereof as are thus detrimental, dangerous or inconvenient.

SECTION 7. There shall be no structure or inscription placed in, upon or around any lot which the Trustees shall deem offensive or improper; and it shall be the duty of the Trustees to remove all offensive or improper objects.

SECTION 8. The Trustees shall have authority to purchase any tomb in the Cemetery offered for sale, paying for the same such sums as, in their judgment, may be fair and reasonable. They shall also have authority to give for any tomb a lot to be constructed on the land occupied by the tomb, or to be selected at some other point in the Cemetery grounds, as they may agree with the proprietor of the tomb. Should there be no living proprietors, or legal representatives of deceased proprietors, the Trustees may take possession of such Tomb, carefully remove its contents to a lot prepared for the purpose and erect over the remains a suitable memorial stone.

SECTION 9. The following regulations shall be posted within the Cemetery:—

1. All persons are prohibited from driving on the borders.

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2. No horse shall be left upon the grounds without a keeper, unless fastened to posts provided for the purpose.

3. All persons are prohibited from discharging firearms within the grounds of the Cemetery, except in connection with military memorial services.

4. All persons are prohibited from writing upon or otherwise defacing any sign, monument, fence, or other structure.

5. All persons are prohibited from gathering flowers, or breaking any tree, plant or shrub.

6. Dogs are not allowed within the Cemetery grounds.

CHAPTER 6

Police Regulations

SECTION 1. No person shall move or assist in moving any building, over any way which the Town is obliged to keep in repair, without the written permit of the Selectmen being first obtained; nor, having obtained such permit, without complying with the restrictions and provisions thereof.

SECTION 2. No person shall place or cause to be placed, upon any public way or sidewalk, any lumber, iron, wood, coal, trunk, bale, box, crate, cask, barrel, package or other thing, and allow the same to remain for more than one hour, or more than ten minutes after being notified by a police officer; provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to the placing of ashes, refuse or garbage in proper receptacles for collection under public authority.

SECTION 3. Any person who intends to erect, repair or take down any building on land abutting on any way which this Town is obliged to keep in repair, and desires to make use of any portion of said way for the purpose of placing thereon building materials or rubbish shall give notice thereof to the Selectmen. And thereupon the Selectmen may grant a permit in writing to occupy such portion of said way to be used for such purpose as in their judgment the necessity of the case demands and the security of the public allows; such permit in no case to be in force longer than ninety days, and to be on such conditions as the Selectmen may require; and especially in every case, upon condition that during the whole of every night, from twilight in the evening until sunrise in the morning, lighted lanterns shall be so placed as effectually to secure all travellers from liability to come in contact with such building materials or rubbish.

SECTION 4. No person shall throw or place or cause to be thrown or placed, any ice or snow into or upon any public way in such a manner as to obstruct traffic or endanger travel upon the public way.

SECTION 5. Whoever, without the written permission of the Selectmen, shall place or cause to be placed in or upon any public way, or sidewalk, any ashes, dirt, rubbish or filth of any kind, or any animal or vegetable substance, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 6. No person shall stand on any sidewalk or in any public place in such a manner as to obstruct a free passage for foot passengers, after having been requested by a police officer to move on. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 7. No person shall dig up or obstruct any portion of any way which the Town is obliged to keep in repair without the permit, in writing, of the Select-

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men, nor, having obtained such permit, shall fail to comply with the conditions thereof; and in addition to any penalty to which he may be subjected under these bylaws for such failure, he shall reimburse the Town for all expenses and damages which, or for which, the Town may be compelled to pay by reason of such unauthorized use, or any failure to comply with said conditions.

SECTION 8. No person shall ride or drive any beast of burden, carriage or draught, or shall drive or propel or cause to be driven or propelled any bicycle, tricycle, motor vehicle or any vehicle whatsoever, in or over any crossing in any public way at such a rate of speed as to endanger the lives and safety of the public.

SECTION 9. No person shall permit any vehicle under his care or control to stand across any public way in such a manner as to obstruct the travel over the same for an unnecessary length of time; no person shall stop with any vehicle in any public way so near to another vehicle as to obstruct public travel; and no person shall stop with any vehicle upon or across any crossing in any public way.

SECTION 10. No person shall coast upon ice or snow upon any public way except one on which the Selectmen or chief of police by public notice permit such coasting and no person shall ride any animal or drive, wheel or draw any coach, cart, wheelbarrow, hand cart, velocipede, bicycle, or any vehicle except children's carriages, or coast upon any sidewalk in the Town. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 11. Whoever shall behave in an indecent or disorderly manner, or use profane, indecent, or insulting language in or upon any sidewalk, public way, or other public place, to the annoyance or disturbance of any other person there being or passing in a peaceable manner, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 12. Any person or persons who shall play or perform on any musical instruments, or sing, parade, march, or congregate in any public way or public place, except in connection with a funeral, without the written permit of the Selectmen shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 13. Whoever shall be or remain on any doorstep, portico, or other projection from any house or building, or upon any wall or fence on or near any public way or public place, after being requested by the occupant of the premises or by any police officer to remove therefrom, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 14. No person shall throw stones, snowballs, sticks, or other missiles, or kick a football or play at any game in which a ball is used, or fly any kites or balloons in any public way.

SECTION 15. Whoever shall affix, by paste or otherwise, any handbill, placard, notice, or advertisement, or paint, draw or stamp the same, or any marks or figures, to or upon any sign board of the Town, or to or upon any building, fence, wall, tree or structure, without the permission of the owner of such building, fence, wall, tree or structure, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence; and if such handbill, placard, notice, advertisement, mark, or figure be obscene or indecent, the penalty shall not be less than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 16. Whoever shall undertake to enter a particular drain into a common sewer without a permit in writing from the Sewer Commissioners or without com-

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plying with the conditions and directions of such permit, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten dollars.

SECTION 17. Whoever shall lead or cause to be led into any public way, or running stream, any drain or pipe from any house or other buildings whereby filthy water or other unclean matter may be emptied into or upon any such public way or running stream; and whoever shall throw, lead or discharge or cause to be thrown, led or discharged, into any public way, or running stream, any noxious or poisonous matter or substance, or any matter or substance which shall cause an offensive smell or odor, or which shall be destructive of, or injurious to, animal life, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than five dollars nor more than twenty dollars.

SECTION 18. The Selectmen may license hackney carriages or motor vehicles for the conveyance of persons for hire from place to place within the town, and they may revoke such licenses at their discretion, and a record of all licenses so granted or revoked shall be kept by the Selectmen.

No person shall set up, use or drive in the town any unlicensed hackney carriage or motor vehicle for the conveyance of passengers for hire from place to place within the town under a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

Licenses shall expire on the thirtieth day of April next after the date thereof, and shall not be transferred without the consent of the Selectmen indorsed thereon. For each license the sum of one dollar shall be paid to the town treasurer for the use of the town. A license so granted shall become void if the applicant neglects or refuses to take out and pay for his license within ten days after notice that it has been granted.

The Selectmen may grant to the holder of a license under the preceding paragraphs of this section a license to use a certain portion of a public way as a carriage stand for the solicitation of passengers for hire and no person shall use any portion of any public way for such purpose without such license.

Any person who violates any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 19. No person shall distribute papers, circulars or advertisements through the Town or any portion thereof in such manner as to make a litter or otherwise cause public annoyance.

SECTION 20. No person shall fire, discharge, explode or set off any gun, firearm, torpedo, firecracker or fireworks in such manner as to disturb the peace or quiet of any neighborhood.

SECTION 21. No person shall wilfully deface or injure any public playground, planting space, flower bed, tree, shrub or grass border.

SECTION 22. No person shall own or keep a dog which by barking, biting or howling or in any other manner disturbs the peace and quiet of any neighborhood or endangers the safety of any person.

SECTION 23. No person shall burn anything so as to emit noxious odors to the discomfort of the neighborhood.

SECTION 24. No person shall place or suffer to accumulate on his premises any refuse, animal or vegetable matter, rubbish or filth, whereby any offensive or noxious stench or effluvia shall be created so as to endanger the health or comfort of the neighborhood.

SECTION 25. The Selectmen may license suitable persons to be dealers in and keepers of shops for the purchase, sale, or barter of junk, old metals, or second-hand articles from place to place in the Town. They may also license suitable persons as

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junk collectors, to collect, by purchase or otherwise, junk, old metals, and second-hand articles from place to place in the Town; and they may provide that such collectors shall display badges upon their persons, or upon their vehicles, or upon both, when engaged in collecting, transporting, or dealing in junk, old metals, or second-hand articles; and may prescribe the design thereof. They may also provide that such shops and all articles of merchandise therein, and any place, vehicle or receptacle used for the collection or keeping of the articles aforesaid, may be examined at all times by the Selectmen or by any person by them authorized thereto. The aforesaid licenses may be revoked at pleasure, and shall be subject to the provisions of law. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall forfeit and pay for each offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 26. The Selectmen may order numbers to be affixed to or painted on the buildings on any street in their discretion. The owner of every house shall comply with such order within thirty days thereafter. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall forfeit and pay for each offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 27. Except when otherwise provided by law, prosecutions for offences under the bylaws of the Town may be made by any police officer of the Town.

CHAPTER 7

Building Code

Chapters 7 and 8 were amended in 1934 by being renumbered as Chapter 7.

The title of said Chapter was amended by striking out the words "Building and Plumbing Laws", and inserting in place thereof the words:—BUILDING CODE—.

Amendments to Chapter 7 have been made at the Annual Town Meetings held March 9, 1935, March 14, 1936, March 12, 1938, March 13, 1948 and March 12, 1949.

The Building Code thus amended was approved by the Attorney General April 26, 1949, and is now available in pamphlet form in the Building Inspector's office.

CHAPTER 8

Town Ways

SECTION 1. Every way that shall be laid out for the acceptance of the Town as a town way shall be not less than fifty feet in width, provided, however, that upon written certification by the Planning Board, with respect to the layout of a particular way, that the requirement of a width of fifty feet will cause practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship, such way may be laid out less than fifty feet in width.

SECTION 2. If an existing private way the fee of which is in the abutters shall be laid out for the acceptance of the Town as a town way such way shall not be accepted unless and until the Selectmen shall have certified in writing that such way is well built, and as constructed it is equal to the average construction of existing highways of the Town; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to ways laid out subject to the provisions of law relating to the assessment of betterments and shall not apply to ways shown on plats approved by the Planning Board and constructed in accordance with rules and regulations of the Planning Board.

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CHAPTER 9

Billboards

SECTION 1. No person or corporation shall erect or maintain a billboard sign or other outdoor advertising device, except as provided in Section 32 of Chapter 93 of General Laws, on any location within three hundred feet of any public park or playground or Metropolitan Park or Parkway, if within public view from any portion of such parks, playgrounds, or parkways; or within three hundred feet of any other public way and within public view from any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign or device exceeds five feet in height or eight feet in length, and no billboard, sign or device placed within three hundred feet of any such public way and within public view shall be nearer than fifty feet to any other such billboard, sign or device; or at the corner of any public ways and within the radius of one hundred and fifty feet from the point where the center lines of such ways intersect; or in any place unless the lowest portion of such billboard, sign or device is at least three feet from the ground, and the entire structure, including its braces and supports, is maintained in good repair, painted, and free from accumulation of rubbish and filth and from the pupae, eggs and caterpillars of gypsy and brown-tail moths and other tree and shrub destroying pests; provided that this section shall not apply to signs or other devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof if for sale or to let.

CHAPTER 10

Zoning

SECTION I. Definitions.

A. In this by-law the following terms, unless a contrary meaning is required by the context or is specifically prescribed, shall have the following meanings:

1. *Street*. The word "street" shall include public ways established by or maintained under public authority, private ways open for public use, and private ways plotted or laid out for ultimate public use, whether or not constructed.
2. *Lot*. A "lot" is a single area of land in one ownership defined by metes, bounds or boundary lines in a recorded deed or on a recorded plan. After this By-law is adopted new lots may be established by recording the same or by filing with the Building Inspector as a part of an application for a building permit the plan of the lot appurtenant to the building signed by the owner or owners of the lot and defining the lot by metes and bounds on such plan. In determining lot areas no part thereof within the limitation of the street shall be included.
3. *One Ownership*. The term "one ownership" means an undivided ownership by one person or by several persons whether the tenure be joint, in common, or by the entirety.
4. *Recorded*. The term "recorded" or "of record" means recorded or registered in the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds or a record title to a parcel of land disclosed by any or all pertinent public records.
5. *Building*. The word "building" shall include "structure."
6. *Erected*. The word "erected" shall include the words "built," "constructed," "reconstructed," "altered," "enlarged," and "moved."

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SECTION II. Establishment of Districts.

A. Classes of Districts. The town of Milton is hereby divided, as shown on the Zoning Map entitled "Map of Milton, Massachusetts, showing Zoning Districts," dated January 7, 1938 and filed with the Town Clerk, and hereby declared a part of this by-law, into four classes of districts:

1. Residence A districts;
2. Residence B districts;
3. Residence C districts;
4. Business districts.

B. Boundaries of Districts. The boundaries of Business Districts hereunder shall continue to be as existing immediately prior to the adoption of this by-law. The boundaries of Residence A Districts, Residence B Districts and Residence C Districts shall be as shown on the Zoning Map. Unless otherwise specifically indicated on the Zoning Map the boundaries between districts are either the center lines of streets or boundary lines of lots, or lines parallel to and a dimensioned distance from the nearest side lines of streets.

(Zoning map changed by votes passed under Article 57 at the March 9, 1940 Town Meeting and at the March 8, 1947 Town Meeting under Article 57.)

C. Lots in Two Districts. Where a district boundary line divides a lot recorded prior to the time this bylaw is adopted, the regulations and restrictions of the less restricted portion of such lot shall govern such portion of such lot as shall be within the more restricted district and shall lie within thirty feet of said boundary line, provided the lot has a frontage on a street in the less restricted district.

SECTION III. Use Regulations.

A. Residence A, B, and C. District Uses. In a Residence A, B, or C District, except as herein otherwise provided, no building or land shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered which is intended or designed to be used for a store or shop, or for manufacturing or commercial purposes, or for other purposes except one or more of the following:

1. Detached one-family dwelling;
2. Church;
3. Educational use, not conducted for profit;
4. Agricultural use, selling only produce raised on the premises; provided, however, that this paragraph 4 shall not be deemed or construed to permit or authorize the use or maintenance of any building or structure;
5. Municipal use. Public parks, playgrounds, recreation buildings, water towers and reservoirs;
6. Accessory use on the same lot with and customarily incident to any of the above permitted uses, or to the uses permitted in accordance with the following sub-section numbered 7, and not detrimental to a residential neighborhood;
7. Any of the following uses, if authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals and subject to appropriate conditions, limitations, and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit;
 - (a) Private club not conducted for profit;
 - (b) Cemetery, not conducted for profit;
 - (c) The garaging or maintaining of more than three automobiles when accessory to a dwelling;

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- (d) Greenhouse or nursery selling only produce raised on the premises;
- (e) Charitable or philanthropic use, hospital or sanitarium, not conducted for profit;
- (f) Riding stable;
- (g) Public utility or public communications building not including a service station or outside storage of supplies;
- (h) A two-family house (as defined below) if the lot on which it will stand lies between two lots on which are buildings designed for occupancy by two or more families each, located on the same side of the street and less than 100 feet apart. A two-family house is a residential building fitted to be occupied by two families which are independent of each other as regards the preparation of food;
- (i) A dwelling used primarily and principally for residential purposes may be used incidentally but without public display of goods or wares, or signs except as permitted in subsection *B 1 (g)* hereof, for the sale of food or of goods of home manufacture prepared or made therein by the occupants of such dwelling, or for other incidental purposes which are not primarily industrial, trade, manufacturing, or commercial purposes, provided, in each case, the Board of Appeals shall determine that the use of such building is incidental only and that such use will not be substantially detrimental to the use of other property in the neighborhood;
- (j) Removal for sale of sod, loam, sand, gravel or quarried stone, provided that when such removal is incidental to and in connection with the construction of a building on the premises for which a building permit has been issued in accordance with the building law, no permit from the Board of Appeals shall be required;
- (k) Buildings or structures used or maintained on or in connection with land devoted to agricultural use permitted in paragraph 4 of this Section III A.

B. Accessory Uses in Residence A, B and C Districts.

1. In Residence A, B and C Districts the following are hereby specifically declared not to be "accessory uses" within the meaning of this by-law:
 - (a) The garaging or maintaining on any lot of a total of more than three automobiles at any time, unless a special permit is granted by the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of Section VIII hereof;
 - (b) The garaging or maintaining on any lot of more than one commercial automobile, except in the case of a lot used for agriculture or for a municipal use;
 - (c) The garaging or maintaining on any lot used for agriculture of more than four commercial automobiles;
 - (d) The sale of produce not raised on the premises unless, in the case of a commercial greenhouse established and doing business prior to the adoption of this by-law, a special permit is granted by the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of Section VIII hereof;
 - (e) The accommodation of, or renting space to, more than four lodgers, boarders or paying guests;
 - (f) Accessory use shall not include dwellings, except that there may be constructed as part of a garage or stable, family living quarters for and to be occupied only by an employee of the owner or occupant of the dwelling to which such garage or stable is an accessory use;

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- (g) An accessory use shall not include an advertising sign except a real estate sign advertising for sale or rent the property on which it is placed, but may include a sign not over one square foot in area, bearing a name and the designation of any authorized occupation and being such a sign as is customarily used for a purpose permitted by this section of this by-law.

C. Business District Uses. In a Business District no building shall be erected, altered or used and no land shall be used for any purpose injurious, noxious or offensive to a neighborhood by reason of the emission of odor, fumes, dust, smoke, vibration, or noise, or other cause, or for any purpose whatsoever except the following purposes:

1. Any use permitted in a Residence A, B or C District;
2. Offices, banks, assembly halls or places of amusement;
3. Signs permitted in a Residence A, B or C District and signs advertising goods or services offered by an occupant of the premises for sale, hire, or use;
4. Retail or wholesale stores, shops for custom work where the product is sold directly by the producer to the consumer, places where services are performed, places of the building trades, sales rooms and repair shops for motor vehicles, garages, filling stations, storage warehouses, restaurants and other places for serving food and drink, places of business of bakers, dyers, confectioners, laundrers, photographers, printers and undertakers. Other uses of substantially the same character may be permitted only if authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals subject to appropriate conditions, limitations and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit all in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII, C.

SECTION IV. Non-conforming Uses of Buildings and Land.

A. Continuation of Non-conforming uses of Buildings and Land. Any building or use of a building or use of land or part thereof lawful and existing at the time this by-law is adopted may be continued, unless and until abandoned, although such building or use does not conform to the provisions hereof. No increase in the extent of the non-conforming use of the building or land may be made except that any such non-conforming building may be added to, enlarged, reconstructed or replaced, and such addition, enlargement, reconstruction or replacement used for the purpose, or for a purpose substantially similar to the purpose, for which the original building may lawfully be used if authorized by the Board of Appeals and subject to appropriate conditions, limitations, and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit. As a basis for such permit the Board of Appeals must be satisfied that such addition, enlargement, reconstruction or replacement and the use to be made thereof will not substantially increase any detrimental or injurious effect of the building or use on the neighborhood.

SECTION V. Height Regulations.

A. Building Heights in Residence A, B and C Districts. In a Residence A, B or C District no building shall be erected or altered to exceed two and one-half stories in height unless it is set back from each street and lot line 15 feet farther than is required by Section VI. No building shall in any event exceed three stories in height. The term "half-story" shall mean a story in a sloping roof, the area of which story at a height four feet above the floor does not exceed two-thirds the floor area of the story immediately below it.

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B. Building Height in Business District. In a Business district no building shall be erected or altered to exceed three stories in height unless authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals subject to appropriate conditions, limitations and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit, all in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII, C, provided that no such building shall be permitted the maximum height of which exceeds 65 feet above the centre line of the street or way adjacent to the lot on which such building stands.

C. Height Exceptions. Chimneys, elevators, poles, spires, tanks, towers, and other projections not used for human occupancy may extend above the height limits herein fixed.

SECTION VI. Area Regulations.

A. Lot Sizes and Frontages.

1. In a Residence A District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 40,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot of less than 80,000 and more than 64,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 32,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot contains more than 80,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 40,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, there remains a lot of 32,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 40,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 150 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot.
2. In a Residence B District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 20,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 100 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot with a frontage of not less than 160 feet and with an area of not less than 32,000 square feet may be divided into two lots containing not less than 16,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot contains more than 40,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 20,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 100 feet, there remains a lot of 16,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 20,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 100 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot.
3. In a Residence C District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained

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except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 7,500 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 75 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot with a frontage of not less than 120 feet and with an area of not less than 12,000 square feet may be divided into two lots containing not less than 6,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot contains more than 15,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 7,500 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 75 feet, there remains a lot of 6,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 7,500 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 75 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot.

4. Frontage, as required in the foregoing provisions of this section, shall be determined as follows: In the case of a lot fronting on a street, the distance shall be measured along the street line from one side line of the lot to the other and the distance shall also be measured between said side lines along a line which marks the required front setback of the dwelling on such lot, and the longer of said distances shall determine the frontage of such lot. In the case of a lot not fronting on any street, the distance shall be measured from one side line of the lot to the other along the line designated as the front line of the lot on the plot filed in accordance with this by-law with the Building Inspector as a part of an application for a building permit, and such distance shall determine the frontage of such lot.
5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section, if adjacent lots, any of which has less area or frontage than required by this section, are recorded as all in the same ownership at the time this by-law is adopted, and if (a) substantial expenditures have been incurred, prior to that time, toward the improvement of these lots or approved ways giving access thereto, or toward utilities serving such lots, which improvements or utilities would be diminished in value in a substantial amount by a literal enforcement of the terms of this section, or if (b) adjoining areas have been, prior to that time, developed to a substantial extent by the construction of houses on lots generally smaller than is prescribed by this section and the standard of the neighborhood so established does not reasonably require a subdivision of the applicant's land into lots as large as is hereby prescribed, then the owner of these lots may apply to the Board of Appeals for relief from the terms of this section as applying to any of these lots, and the Board of Appeals may grant such relief by making special exceptions to the terms of this section, subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards in harmony with the general purpose and intent of this by-law, where desirable relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purposes of this by-law.

B. Front Yards.

1. In a Residence A District no building shall be erected within 30 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need

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be set back more than 30 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 30 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 30 feet.

2. In a Residence B District no building shall be erected within 25 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need be set back more than 25 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 25 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 25 feet.
3. In a Residence C District no building shall be erected within 20 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need be set back more than 20 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 20 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 20 feet.
4. In Residence A, B and C Districts no part of an accessory building shall be located within 40 feet of the front line of the lot, unless such accessory building is within the body of a dwelling or attached to a dwelling and such accessory building complies with the setback from said front line established for such dwelling.

C. Side Yards.

1. No building except a one-story building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained in a Residence A District within 15 feet of a side lot line, or within 30 feet of any other building on an adjacent lot, in a Residence B District within 12 feet of a side lot line or within 24 feet of any other building on an adjacent lot, or in a Residence C District within 10 feet of a side lot line.
2. No building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 10 feet of a side lot line in a Residence A District or a Residence B District nor within 8 feet of a side line in a Residence C District.
3. On a lot abutting on two intersecting streets no building shall be erected or maintained in a Residence A District within 30 feet, in a Residence B District within 25 feet, and in a Residence C District within 20 feet of the line of the side street.
4. The provisions of this section shall not reduce to less than 25 feet the buildable width of any lot in a Residence A, B or C District recorded at the time this by-law is adopted, provided, however, that no building shall extend within 6 feet of a side lot line.
5. In a Business District no building shall be erected or maintained within 6 feet of a side line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such side be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the lot side line.

D. Rear Yards.

1. In a Residence A, B or C District no building except a one-story building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 30 feet of the rear lot line, provided that no building need be set back from the rear lot line more than 30 per cent of the mean depth of the lot.

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2. In a Business District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained within 20 feet of the rear lot line, and no other building shall be erected or maintained within 12 feet of a rear line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such rear lot line be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the rear lot line.
 3. No building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 10 feet of a rear lot line in a Residence A District nor within 8 feet of a rear lot line in a Residence B or a Residence C District.
- E. Appurtenant Open Space.*
No yard or other open space required for a building by this by-law shall, during the existence of such building, be occupied by or counted as open space for another building.
- F. Projections.*
Nothing herein shall prevent the projection of steps, eaves, chimneys and cornices not exceeding 18 inches in width, windowsills, or belt courses into any required yard or open space.
- G. Corner Clearance.*
On lots in Residence A, B and C Districts no building, fence, or other structure shall be erected and no tree, shrub or other planting shall be planted, or allowed to exist, which prevents an unobstructed view through the space between 4 feet and 8 feet above the ground within the area formed by the intersecting side lines forming the corner of the intersecting streets and a line joining points on such lines 25 feet distant from the point of intersection in a Residence A District, or 20 feet distant from the point of intersection in a Residence B or a Residence C District, provided, however, that where the junction of the side lines of two streets forms a curve, the clearance area shall be determined and certified by the Town Engineer as nearly as may be in accordance with the foregoing and having regard to the safety of the public, and the foregoing provisions shall apply to the area thus determined.

SECTION VII. Administration.

A. Enforcement.

1. The Inspector of Buildings shall enforce the provisions of this by-law. If the Inspector of Buildings shall be informed or have reason to believe that any provision of this by-law or of any permit or decision thereunder has been, is being, or is about to be violated, he shall make or cause to be made an investigation of the facts, including the inspection of the premises where the violation may exist, and, if he finds any violation, he shall give immediate notice in writing to the owner or his duly authorized agent and to the occupant of the premises.
2. If, after such notice, such violation continues, with respect to any use contrary to the provisions of this by-law, the Inspector of Buildings shall forthwith revoke any permit issued in connection with the premises, and shall take such other action as is necessary to enforce the provisions of this by-law.
3. Where a special permit from or relief by the Board of Appeals is required pursuant to the provisions of this by-law, or where an appeal from an order or decision of an administrative officer, or an appeal or petition involving a variance is pending, the Building Inspector shall issue no building permit until so directed in writing by said Board.

B. Submission of Plots.

All applications for building permits shall be accompanied by a plot in duplicate drawn to scale, showing the actual dimensions of the lot to

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be built upon, the streets upon which it abuts, the size and location of the building or buildings to be erected or altered, and such other information as may, in the opinion of the Building Inspector, be necessary for the enforcement of this by-law. A careful record of such applications and plots shall be kept in the office of the Building Inspector. Deviation from the terms and dimensions shown on the plot shall constitute violation of the terms of the permit.

C. Occupancy Permit.

It shall be unlawful to use or permit the use of any land, building, or structure or part thereof which is erected or altered, wholly or partly, in its use or construction, or moved, or which has its open spaces in any way reduced, until the Building Inspector shall have certified on the building permit, or, in case no permit is required, shall have certified in a certificate of occupancy that the building and premises have been regularly inspected by the Building Inspector and apparently conform to the statutes and by-laws relating to the construction and occupancy of buildings and land in the town of Milton.

SECTION VIII. Board of Appeals.

A. Appointment.

The Board of Appeals is and shall be the board of appeal appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of these by-laws known as the Building Code, and said board of appeal under said Building Code is hereby constituted the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended.

B. Notice.

When an appeal, application or petition is filed with the Board of Appeals pursuant to any of the provisions of this by-law, the Board shall give notice thereof and hold a hearing pursuant to its rules and regulations and to the law. The Building Inspector shall be entitled to receive notice in all cases involving the issuance of a building permit.

C. Special Permits.

Where a special permit by the Board of Appeals is required pursuant to the provisions of this by-law, the applicant shall make written application and shall show to the satisfaction of the Board, in addition to any specific requirements herein or in the law contained, that the desired relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this by-law. The Board of Appeals may make appropriate conditions and limitations necessary in its opinion to safeguard the legitimate use of the property in the neighborhood and the health and safety of the public, such conditions and limitations to be stated in writing by the Board and made a part of the permit.

D. Variances and Appeals.

Appeals from an order or decision of an administrative officer and appeals or petitions involving variances from the terms of this by-law shall be dealt with by the Board of Appeals in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 30, as amended.

E. Relief.

When relief is applied for pursuant to the provisions of Section VI, A, 5 hereof the applicant shall file with the Board a plan, map, drawing, or document sufficient clearly to show all of the local real estate holdings of the applicant in the neighborhood, the date or dates of the recording

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of the lots involved, and such other pertinent documentary evidence as the Board may require, and shall show to the satisfaction of the Board that the facts requisite for such relief exist.

SECTION IX. Other By-laws, Rules or Regulations.

The provisions of this by-law shall be construed as being additional to and not as annulling, limiting or lessening to any extent, whatsoever the requirements of any other by-law, rule or regulation, provided that, unless specifically excepted, where this by-law is more stringent it shall control.

SECTION X. Penalty.

Any person, firm, or corporation who violates, disobeys, neglects, or refuses to comply with any of the provisions of this by-law shall be fined in a sum not to exceed twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each offence.

SECTION XI. Validity.

The invalidity of any section or provisions of this by-law shall not invalidate any other section or provision hereof. If for any reason the area requirements in any district shall be or become invalid or inoperative, then the area requirements of the next less restricted district shall be and become the area requirements for such more restricted district.

SECTION XII. Amendments.

The Planning Board, upon petition of not less than ten citizens of the Town, or upon its own initiative, shall from time to time hold public hearings, twenty days' published notice of which shall be given, for the consideration of proposed amendments to the Zoning Map or to this by-law and report to a regular or special Town Meeting its recommendations as to what action should be taken.

CHAPTER 11

Planning Board

A Planning Board is hereby established under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, Section 81A (Acts of 1936, Chapter 211) and any amendments thereto, with all the powers and duties therein and in any existing by-laws of the Town provided, to consist of five members to be elected by ballot at the annual Town Meeting in March, 1939, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, one for a term of three years, one for a term of four years, and one for a term of five years and thereafter in accordance with the provisions of the statute.

The existing Board of Appeals appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of the General By-laws known as the Building Code and acting as the Board of Appeals pursuant to Chapter 10 of the General By-laws designated as Zoning shall act as and be the Board of Appeals under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 41, Section 81-I (Acts of 1936, Chapter 211).

CHAPTER 12

Board of Water Commissioners

The Board of Water Commissioners may from time to time, on such conditions as may be determined by the Board, receive from prospective developers of lands in the Town, respectively, sums of money sufficient, in the opinion of the Board to cover the estimated expense to the Town, as certified by the Planning Board or such part thereof as is to be incurred by the Town, of constructing water mains with all appurtenances necessary or proper in private ways approved by the Planning Board under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 41, as amended by

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St. 1936, C. 211, or as otherwise amended such sums to be paid to the Town Treasurer to the Credit of the Town, each such sum to be held as a special fund marked with the name of the depositor and the way or ways to which the same is applicable, and subject to retention and appropriation by the Town for the purpose of reimbursing the Town for moneys expended in constructing water mains and appurtenances in the respective ways designated for the respective funds and for the return to the depositor of any unexpended balance as certified by the Board of Water Commissioners after completion of such water mains and appurtenances. If such deposit of estimated expense in any case is not sufficient for the work, the developer shall make deposit of a sufficient additional amount.

This bylaw shall be additional to and not in limitation of the powers otherwise vested in said Board of Water Commissioners.

Milton, Mass.,
April 6, 1934.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true copy of the General Bylaws as amended under Article 53 of the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1934.

A true copy.

Attest.

(Seal)

G. FRANK KEMP,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass., June 1, 1934

The foregoing bylaws are hereby approved.

JOSEPH E. WARNER,
Attorney General.

The amendments to Chapters 4, 7 and 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1935, were approved by the Attorney General, June 10, 1935.

The amendment to Chapter 7 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 14, 1936, was approved by the Attorney General, April 3, 1936.

The amendment to Chapter 10 voted at the Special Town Meeting held January 29, 1938, was approved by the Attorney General, February 10, 1938.

The amendments to Chapters 7, 10 and 11 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 12, 1938, were approved by the Attorney General, April 11, 1938.

The amendments to Chapter 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1940, were approved by the Attorney General, April 11, 1940 and May 1, 1940.

The amendments to Chapters 2, 3 and 4, voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 8, 1941, were approved by the Attorney General, March 20, 1941.

The amendments to Chapters 4 and 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 13, 1943, were approved by the Attorney General, March 24, 1943, and April 13, 1943, respectively.

The amendments to Chapters 2, 4, 10 and 12 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1945, were approved by the Attorney General, March 21, 1945.

The amendment to Chapter 5, Section 1, voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1946, was approved by the Attorney General, March 28, 1946.

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The amendment to Chapter 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 8, 1947, was approved by the Attorney General, April 10, 1947.

The amendments to Chapter 7 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 13, 1948 were approved by the Attorney General on April 1, 1948.

The amendments to Chapters 3 and 7 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 12, 1949 were approved by the Attorney General, March 22, 1949.

"See decision of Supreme Judicial Court in the case of *Barney & Carey Company v. Town of Milton*, 324 Mass. 440."

The amendment to Chapter 2 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 11, 1950, was approved by the Attorney General April 26, 1950.

The amendment to Chapter 8 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1951, was approved by the Attorney General April 17, 1951.

The amendments to Chapters 2 and 10 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 15, 1952 were approved by the Attorney General, July 1, 1952.

The amendments to Chapters 3 and 10 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 21, 1953 were approved by the Attorney General, June 1, 1953.

LEGISLATIVE ACTS ACCEPTED BY THE TOWN OF MILTON

March 19, 1866. **Voted**, To establish a high school, according to the provisions of Section 2 of Chapter 38 of the General Statutes. (Repealed 1898, Chapter 496, Section 36.)

March 2, 1874. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 265 of the Acts of 1873, relative to public landing places in the town of Milton. (Special Act.)

March 4, 1878. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 23 to 32 of Chapter 24 of the General Statutes, relative to the establishment of a board of fire engineers. (General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 45.)

March 3, 1879. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 21 of Chapter 38 of the General Statutes, relative to the election of School Committee. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

December 8, 1879. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 1 of Chapter 234 of the Acts of 1878, relative to truants and neglected children. (Repealed, 1919, Chapter 363, Section 16.)

March 7, 1881. **Voted**, To accept the act of the Legislature, Chapter 158 of the Laws of 1871, entitled, "An Act to Provide for the Election of Road Commissioners." (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 5, 1883. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 10 of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes, relative to truants and neglected children. (Repealed 1898, Chapter 496, Section 36.)

March 3, 1890. **Voted**, To accept the first nine sections of Chapter 51 of the Public Statutes, said Chapter being entitled, "Of Betterments and other Assessments on Account of the Cost of Public Improvements." (General Laws, Chapter 80.)

February 12, 1891. **Voted**, To accept the act authorizing towns and cities to lay out public parks within their limits; being Chapter 154 of the Acts of 1882. (General Laws, Chapter 45, Sections 1 to 11.)

March 2, 1891. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 386 of the Acts of 1890, relative to the election of town officers. (Repealed, 1893, Chapter 417, Section 345.)

February 3, 1894. **Voted**, That the town does hereby accept the provisions of Section 268 of Chapter 417 of the Acts of 1893, relative to the election of a separate Board of Assessors. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

November 28, 1894. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1894, entitled an "Act Relative to the Reservation of Spaces in Public Ways." (General Laws, Chapter 82, Section 34.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted**, That the town hereby accepts the provision of Chapter 309 of the Acts of 1885, authorizing towns to license groves to be used for picnics and other lawful amusements. (General Laws, Chapter 140, Sections 188 to 190.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 272 of Chapter 417 of the Acts of 1893, relative to the election of Sewer Commissioners. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 462 of the Acts of 1893 relative to the establishment of a building line on Public Ways. (Repealed, Acts of 1917, Chapter 344, Part 8, Section 1.)

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March 4, 1895. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 218 of the Acts of 1894 as amended by Chapter 473 of that same year, relative to the election of Boards of Health in towns. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 20 and 21 of Chapter 50 of the Public Statutes, relative to the establishment and grading of sidewalks by the Selectmen. (General Laws, Chapter 83, Section 25.)

June 29, 1895. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 304 of the Acts of 1895, authorizing the town of Milton to construct one or more systems of sewerage. (Special Act.)

March 1, 1897. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 101 of the Public Statutes relative to the suppression of common nuisances. (General Laws, Chapter 139.)

March 7, 1898. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 11 of Chapter 481 of the Acts of 1894, relative to the regulation and inspection of buildings. (General Laws, Chapter 143, Section 3.)

March 5, 1900. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 344 of the Acts of 1899, relative to eight-hour day for town employees. (General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 31.)

March 3, 1902. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 18 of Chapter 122 of the Revised Laws (General Laws, Chapter 166, Section 32), relative to the appointment of an Inspector of Wires by the Selectmen.

July 14, 1902. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 307 of the Acts of 1902, relative to water supply. (General Laws, Chapter 92, Section 10.)

August 16, 1902. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 58 to 64, inclusive, of Chapter 48 of the Revised Laws, relative to the jurisdiction of towns over highways and county bridges. (General Laws, Chapter 82, Sections 17 to 20.)

March 2, 1903. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 20 and 21 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws, relative to public baths. (General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 12.)

March 2, 1903. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 339 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, relative to the election of Overseers of the Poor. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 7, 1904. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 70 of Chapter 75 of the Revised Laws, relative to privy vaults. (General Laws, Chapter 111, Section 126.)

March 6, 1905. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 103 of the Revised Laws, relative to the supervision of plumbing. (General Laws, Chapter 142.)

July 21, 1905. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 381 of the Acts of 1905, relative to the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths. (General Laws, Chapter 132.)

March 1, 1909. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 476 of the Acts of 1908, relative to vacations for members of the Police Department. (General Laws, Chapter 92, Section 62, and Chapter 147, Sections 14 and 17.)

March 8, 1910. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 43 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Laws, relative to the grading and construction of sidewalks. (General Laws, Chapter 83, Section 25.)

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March 6, 1911. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 359 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the election of Moderators. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 6, 1911. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 362 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the election of four constables. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

November 7, 1911. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 634 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the establishment by counties of the retirement system for employees. (General Laws, Chapter 32.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 146 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the establishment of an Art Commission. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 82 to 84.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the extension of Civil Service Acts to Chiefs of Police. (General Laws, Chapter 31, Section 49.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 314 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the expending of money by the School Committee for the supervision of sports. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 47.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the use of school halls for other than school purposes. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 71.)

November 5, 1912. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 503 of the Acts of 1912, relative to the pensioning of laborers in the employ of the town. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 77.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 327 of the Acts of 1904, relative to the pensioning of permanent members of the Police and Fire Departments. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 85.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 498 of the Acts of 1908, relative to the pension funds for teachers in the public school. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 42.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1912, relative to tenement house regulation. (General Laws, Chapter 145.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 191 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the establishment of a Board of Survey. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 73 to 81.)

November 4, 1913. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1913, relative to the compensation of certain employees for injuries sustained in the course of their employment. (General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69.)

March 2, 1914. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1913, relative to workmen's compensation. (General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69.)

March 2, 1914. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 42 of Chapter 514 of the Acts of 1909 as amended by the provisions of Chapter 494 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the eight-hour day for city and town employees. (General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 30 to 33.)

November 3, 1914. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1914, relative to vacations for town laborers. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 111.)

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March 13, 1915. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 296, of the Acts of 1913, relative to the appointment of a Bird Warden. (General Laws, Chapter 131, Section 76.)

March 10, 1917. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 15 of the Special Acts of 1917, revoking the reservation of space for use of street railway on Blue Hill Avenue. (Special Act.)

March 2, 1918. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 140 of the Acts of 1917, amending Chapter 291 of the Acts of 1916, relative to the tenure of office of Chiefs of Fire Departments in the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District. (General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 58.)

March 2, 1918. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 575 of the Acts of 1913, relative to the furnishing of lunches for school children. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 72.)

March 9, 1918. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 305 of the Special Acts of 1917, relative to the management of the property received under the terms of the will of Edwin W. Wadsworth. (Special Act.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 293 of the Acts of 1916, relative to the licensing of motor vehicles carrying passengers for hire. (General Laws, Chapter 159, Sections 45 and 46.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 17 of the Special Acts of 1919, relative to the payment of an annuity to Catherine M. Moran. (Special Act.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 16 of the Special Acts of 1919, relative to the payment of an annuity to Katherine K. McDermott.

March 13, 1920. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 186 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the pensioning of widows and children of members of the Police and Fire Departments. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 88.)

May 3, 1920. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 240 of the Acts of 1920, relative to sports and games on the Lord's Day. (General Laws, Chapter 136, Sections 21 to 28.)

November 2, 1920. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 166 of the Acts of 1920, relative to the granting of one day off in every eight days to police officers without loss of pay. (General Laws, Chapter 147, Sections 16 and 17.)

March 12, 1921. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 25A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, relative to the appointment and renewal of Assistant Assessors by the Assessors.

March 3, 1923. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 516 of the Acts of 1922, relative to the adoption of the State accounting system.

June 12, 1923. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 20 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws, relative to precinct voting.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 26 of the Acts of 1923, relative to Boards of Public Welfare.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 337 of the Acts of 1921, relative to the pensioning of call men.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1923, relative to the collection of water rates.

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March 14, 1925. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 9 of the Acts of 1925, authorizing the retirement and pensioning of John H. Higgins of the Police Department.

March 5, 1927. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 27 of the Acts of 1927, an act to erect and constitute in the Town of Milton representative town government by limited town meetings.

March 10, 1928. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 42, 43 and 44 of Chapter 48 of the General Laws to establish a Fire Department to be under the control of an officer to be known as the Chief of the Fire Department.

March 11, 1933. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 26 of Chapter 46 of the General Laws, limiting the aggregate compensation to be allowed to the Town Clerk.

November 3, 1936. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 318 of the Acts of 1936 entitled "An Act for contributory retirement systems for cities and towns."

March 12, 1938. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 231 of the Acts of 1937, providing for increasing the amount of certain annual allowances payable by the Town of Milton to widows of members of its police or fire force killed or dying from injuries received in the performance of duty.

March 12, 1938. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69 as amended by Acts of 1936, Chapter 403, which determines the employees who shall be included under the term "laborers, workmen and mechanics" so as to be entitled to workmen's compensation.

March 11, 1939. **Voted**, To accept Section 27-A and 30-A of Chapter 40 of the General Laws appearing in Section 1 and 2 of Chapter 133 of the Acts of 1938 entitled "An Act tending to prevent multiplicity of proposals for the same changes in Zoning ordinances or bylaws in their application."

March 14, 1942. **Voted**, To accept Sections 6 to 12 inclusive, of Chapter 143 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), relating to the Inspection of Buildings.

March 13, 1943. **Voted**, To accept Section 11-A of Chapter 85 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as appearing in Section 1 of Chapter 710 of the Acts of 1941, relating to the registration and operation of bicycles.

March 4, 1944. **Voted**, To accept Section 6-C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, an Act authorizing cities and towns to appropriate money for the removal of snow and ice from private ways therein open to public use.

March 10, 1945. **Voted**, To accept Section 3-A of Chapter 115 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) regarding the payment of state or military aid or soldiers' relief.

March 10, 1945. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 42 of the Acts of 1945, repealing Chapter 305 of the Special Acts of 1917 relating to the Wadsworth Trust.

March 9, 1946. **Voted**, To accept Section 16-B of Chapter 147 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as inserted in Section 2 of Chapter 426 of the Acts of 1938, providing for one day off in every six for police officers.

Nov. 16, 1946. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 559 of the Acts of 1946, an act authorizing increases of the amounts of pensions payable to certain former public employees who have been retired.

March 1, 1947. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 40 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended, relative to equal pay for men and women teachers.

March 1, 1947. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 31 of the General Laws entitled Civil Service with respect to the official and labor service.

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March 1, 1947. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 31 of the General Laws entitled Civil Service with respect to janitors of School buildings.

March 8, 1947. **Voted,** To accept Section 6 of Chapter 576 of the Acts and Resolves of 1946 relative to the retirement of Police Officers and Firemen in certain towns.

March 8, 1947. **Voted,** To accept Section 65 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws (added by Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1945) which provides for payment in advance of wages which will be due employees during their vacations.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Section 4B of Chapter 136 of the General Laws (inserted in said Chapter by Section 3 of Chapter 207 of the Acts of 1946) which permits the Selectmen to grant licenses for the operation of Bowling Alleys on the Lord's Day between the hours of one and eleven post meridian.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 515 of the Acts of 1948 relative to the pensioning of Foremen, Inspectors and others.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 552 of the Acts of 1948 which by amendment to Chapter 32 of the General Laws provides additional and new benefits through annuities to dependents of certain public employees who die from injuries or hazards in the performance of their duties.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 588 of the Acts of 1948 which provides that pensions or retirement allowances payable to certain former public employees or their beneficiaries shall be increased by \$200.

March 11, 1950. **Voted,** To accept Section 6B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) authorizing the town to appropriate money for the purchase of uniforms for members of its Police and Fire Departments.

March 11, 1950. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1945 (now incorporated in the General Laws as Chapter 41, Section 100A).

March 10, 1951. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 538 of the Acts of 1950 which provides that cities and towns may, at the expense of the abutters make temporary minor repairs on private ways in certain cases.

March 10, 1951. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950, which provides that pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable to any former employee who was separated from the service by retirement prior to November 1, 1949 and at the time of such separation had at least fifteen years creditable service, or to any person claiming under such former employee whether as beneficiary, dependent or otherwise, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided, the annual amount is not in excess of two thousand dollars.

March 10, 1951. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 783 of the Acts of 1950 making applicable increases in retirement allowances to those persons retired after January first, nineteen hundred and forty-six with a minimum allowance, said Chapter amending Section 25 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws as appearing in Section 1 of Chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945.

March 8, 1952. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 781 of the Acts of 1951 which provides that pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable to any former employee who was separated from the service of the Town by retirement prior to November 1, 1949 and at the time of such separation had at least fifteen years creditable service, or to any person claiming under such former employee whether as beneficiary, dependent or otherwise, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided the annual amount is not in excess of two thousand dollars; and further provides that if any such former employee was separated from the service at age sixty and had at the time of retirement at least 25 years of creditable service, and his pension as increased above is less than \$1200., it shall be increased to \$1200.

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March 14, 1953. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952 which provides that pensions, retirement allowances or annuity payable under any general or special law to any former employee, except teachers retired under Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, who was separated from the service prior to April 1, 1951, and at the time of such retirement had attained age fifty-five and had at least fifteen years of creditable service, or to any person retired for disability caused by accident or hazard undergone while in the performance of his duties, regardless of years of creditable service, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided, the annual amount is not in excess of \$2500.; and further provides that if any such employee was separated from the service at age sixty-five and had at the time of retirement at least thirty-five years of creditable service and his pension is less than \$1500., it shall be increased to \$1500.; and further provides that the annual amount of any annuity or allowance payable under the provisions of section nine, eighty-nine, eighty-nine A or under options (c) or (d) of subdivision (2) of section twelve of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, or any similar law, to the widow of any deceased employee of the town, shall be increased by \$100.; provided, that the member whose widow is receiving a pension under said options (c) or (d) had at least fifteen years of creditable service, and further provided, that such widow does not remarry; and to act on anything relating thereto.

MILTON TOWN RECORDS IN THE MUNICIPAL YEAR
1953



1953
WARRANT
MARCH MEETING

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

TO ANY OF THE CONSTABLES of the Town of Milton in said County,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Milton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the several designated Polling Places in their respective Precincts in said Milton, to wit:

- In Precinct 1. Tucker School Hall, Blue Hills Parkway,
- In Precinct 2. Basement, Kidder Branch, Milton Public Library, Blue Hills Parkway,
- In Precinct 3. Police Station, Central Avenue,
- In Precinct 4. Girls' Gymnasium, Senior High School, Central Avenue,
- In Precinct 5. Town Hall, Canton Avenue,
- In Precinct 6. Basement, East Milton Branch Library, Edge Hill Road,
- In Precinct 7. Belcher School, Church Street,

on Saturday, March seventh next, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in to the Precinct Officers of their respective Precincts their votes on one ballot respectively for the following named Town Officers, to wit:

- A Moderator for the term of one year.
- A Town Clerk for the term of one year.
- A Town Treasurer for the term of one year.
- A Collector of Taxes for the term of one year.
- Three Selectmen and Surveyors of Highways for one year term.
- One Assessor for the term of three years.
- Two members of the Board of Public Welfare for the term of three years.
- One Sewer Commissioner for the term of three years.
- A Tree Warden for the term of one year.

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Two members of the School Committee for the term of three years.

One member of the Board of Health for the term of three years.

One Trustee of the Cemetery for the term of five years.

Three Library Trustees for the term of three years.

One Park Commissioner for the term of three years.

One Water Commissioner for the term of three years.

One member of the Planning Board for the term of five years and one for three years.

Four Constables for the term of one year.

Ninety-seven Town Meeting Members as follows:

Precinct 1. Fourteen for three years.

Precinct 2. Eleven for three years. One for one year to fill vacancy.

Precinct 3. Eleven for three years. One for two years and one for one year to fill vacancies.

Precinct 4. Twelve for three years. One for two years to fill vacancy.

Precinct 5. Sixteen for three years.

Precinct 6. Fifteen for three years.

Precinct 7. Fourteen for three years.

For these purposes the polls will be open at each and all of said Precincts at eight o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon.

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RESULTS OF THE ELECTION

PRECINCTS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals
Selectmen								
Charles F. Batchelder, jr.....	340	259	360	259	508	450	336	2512
Samuel G. Craig	321	246	336	258	507	448	323	2439
Daniel E. Duggan.....	330	254	314	292	486	587	475	2738
Arthur J. Gurney.	127	72	58	116	154	232	164	923
Raymond H. Parks.....	101	63	60	85	118	93	71	591
Blanks	248	144	114	235	267	431	413	1852
Tax Collector and Town Collector								
G. Frank Kemp	396	309	370	338	599	649	482	3143
Blanks	93	37	44	77	81	98	112	542
Assessor								
Robert Bowie	376	300	354	334	594	640	468	3066
Blanks	113	46	60	81	86	107	126	619
Town Treasurer								
Clyde L. Whittier.....	391	306	364	334	588	617	456	3056
Blanks	98	40	50	81	92	130	138	629
Town Clerk								
G. Frank Kemp.....	386	299	366	334	596	625	468	3074
Blanks	103	47	48	81	84	122	126	611
School Committee (Three Years)								
Teresa P. Edwards.....	346	268	343	301	562	569	428	2817
Paul W. Knight.....	391	306	322	334	546	585	443	2927
Blanks	241	118	163	195	252	340	317	1626
Park Commissioner								
M. Joseph Manning, Jr.....	388	303	355	347	589	636	487	3105
Blanks	101	43	59	68	91	111	107	580
Sewer Commissioner								
Fred Y. Marshall.....	370	288	351	318	552	574	437	2890
Blanks	119	58	63	97	128	173	157	795

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PRECINCTS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals
Water Commissioner								
William P. Melley.....	377	305	361	342	585	643	469	3082
Blanks	112	41	53	73	95	104	125	603
Board of Health								
Paul R. Withington.....	379	289	361	324	578	590	438	2959
Blanks	110	57	53	91	102	157	156	726
Constables								
William J. Cashman.....	267	184	224	256	368	414	333	2046
Walter A. Dennis, Jr.....	342	241	301	255	471	493	366	2469
James J. McGee.....	310	233	286	316	446	491	363	2445
Raymond H. Parks.....	251	201	264	201	394	391	288	1990
John B. Shields.....	335	253	299	282	470	555	431	2625
Blanks	451	272	282	350	271	644	595	3165
Trustees of Public Library								
C. Rodgers Burgin.....	353	271	346	295	544	564	410	2783
John B. Moore.....	356	276	337	308	567	591	423	2858
Roger Wolcott	367	270	343	300	542	559	406	2787
Blanks	391	221	216	342	387	527	543	2627
Trustees of Cemetery								
John E. Sheldon.....	361	280	348	315	567	592	430	2893
Blanks	128	66	66	100	113	155	164	792
Tree Warden								
George H. Ames.....	360	282	343	310	564	580	422	2861
Blanks	129	64	71	105	116	167	172	824
Board of Public Welfare								
Edward C. Johnson, 2nd.....	362	286	350	311	565	571	420	2865
Florence C. Wislocki.....	348	269	331	295	540	547	379	2709
Blanks	268	137	147	224	255	376	389	1796
Moderator								
Benjamin F. Jaques.....	355	279	351	323	567	576	424	2875
Blanks	134	67	63	92	113	171	170	810

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PRECINCTS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals
Planning Board (Five Years)								
John H. Bowie.....	360	278	349	324	571	601	450	2933
Blanks	129	68	65	91	109	146	144	752
Planning Board (Three Years)								
Walter S. Robbins.....	302	212	307	222	498	401	282	2224
Jeremiah J. Sullivan.....	106	91	68	144	127	244	219	999
Blanks	81	43	39	49	55	102	93	462
VOTE CAST.....	489	346	414	415	680	747	594	3685
NUMBER OF VOTERS.....	2183	1857	1465	1884	2671	2522	2029	14611

*Elected

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TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

Precinct 1

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
*Edward E. Bigelow.....	304	*Philip V. Manning.....	277
*Murray D. Cole.....	266	*Paul R. McNaughton.....	290
†Madeline E. Cooley.....	217	George D. Pevear.....	124
*Thomas E. Daly.....	258	*Russell E. Peverly.....	230
†Andrew J. Donahue, Jr.....	217	*Charles H. Smith.....	269
*Margaret H. Fabian.....	281	*Roger W. Stronge.....	249
*Gerardine M. Hefler.....	258	*Robert M. Thomson.....	258
*Paul R. Johnson.....	262	*John O. Woods.....	224
Norman E. Kingsbury.....	192	Blanks	2458
Joseph M. Lynch, Jr.....	212		

†Tie vote (The thirteen elected members broke the tie with a result that A. J. Donahue, Jr. received 6 votes and M. E. Cooley 7 votes)

Precinct 2

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
*Knight Ames	237	*Mary Lee Evans Kimball.....	169
*Arthur R. Blackburn.....	241	*Charles F. Newcomb.....	219
*Irving A. Cowperthwaite.....	219	*Edward T. O'Neill.....	224
*James F. Cyphers.....	212	Cordis M. Sargent.....	149
*Alfred J. Donnell.....	217	*Everett L. Turner.....	227
*Copeland M. Draper.....	238	Arthur Willis, Jr.....	149
*G. Newell Hurd.....	232	Blanks	1073
ONE YEAR (to fill vacancy)			
*Joseph C. Mahoney.....	192	Francis P. McDermott.....	73
Charles J. McCawley.....	45	Blanks	36

Precinct 3

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
1 - *Clifton L. Bremer.....	330	*Hervey W. King.....	239
6 - *Lincoln Bryant	292	*S. Frances Marden.....	315
2 - *C. Rodgers Burgin.....	323	*Sarah G. Morris.....	282
10 - *George A. Canon, Jr.....	266	*Warren J. Murdock.....	274
15 - Charles H. Fargo.....	163	James R. Queeney.....	217
5 - *Charles I. Gates.....	294	Elliott K. Slade.....	73
4 - *Russell S. Haddock.....	302	Blanks	1051
7 - *Alice F. Howland.....	291		
TWO YEARS (to fill vacancies)			
*Blake G. Cruickshank.....	332	Blanks	82
ONE YEAR (to fill vacancy)			
Thompson Wood Crosby.....	60	Herbert G. Vickerson.....	105
*William H. Farnham.....	158	Blanks	51
Norman S. King.....	40		

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Precinct 4

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
Joseph Aieta	225	*James P. Keddy.....	235
*Roger B. Anderson.....	250	*William P. Manning.....	273
*Murray A. Cappers.....	239	*Edna L. McGee.....	275
*Harry E. Carlson.....	294	*Paul V. McPeake.....	262
*Joseph Connolly.....	231	*Jeremiah J. Noris.....	256
Ester N. Crossman.....	217	*Charles M. Thompson, Jr.....	235
*Edward J. Farrell.....	256	Blanks	1495
*Francis J. Hiney, Jr.....	237		
TWO YEARS (to fill vacancies)			
*C. John Nazaro	257	Blanks	158

Precinct 5

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
*Benjamin R. Alexander.....	492	Robert E. Introne.....	176
*Richard M. Barton.....	379	*Donald M. Jackson.....	361
*Kenneth E. Batting.....	377	Herbert C. Lang.....	111
*Eleanor L. Cluett.....	343	*Irving G. Lunt.....	455
*Charles E. Craig.....	389	Jean L. Olmsted.....	216
Hollis B. Cranmer.....	182	James J. Parrell, Jr.....	166
*Edward Dyson	449	*Richard Perry	433
*Teresa P. Edwards.....	464	*Earle F. Porter.....	237
Philip Fay	153	*A. Douglass Randlett.....	368
*James F. Fitzgerald.....	340	George Thomson	116
Philip A. Gahm.....	203	Miner Trowbridge	236
*Craig B. Haines.....	404	James A. Williams.....	166
*Nelson F. Hermance.....	384	*Edward E. Wendell.....	402
Gertrude Hooper	195	Blanks	2683

Precinct 6

THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
*G. Nelson Armitage.....	474	*John T. Keyes.....	471
*Jesse B. Baxter.....	530	*Henry E. Mersch, Jr.....	448
*Tilton S. Bell.....	480	*Walter J. Murphy.....	314
*William E. Bent	476	*Charles H. O'Donnell.....	428
*Arthur T. Caruso.....	468	Thomas J. O'Leary.....	298
*Willard F. Dunlap.....	437	*Ruth E. Pierce.....	401
Cornelius F. Gibbons.....	239	*Frederick J. Randlett.....	410
Roland Gray, Jr.....	312	*Timothy G. Ryan.....	469
*Thomas S. Gunning, Jr.....	474	William J. Tibert.....	273
*Ray A. Hinds.....	473	Blanks	3330

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THREE YEARS	Votes	THREE YEARS	Votes
*Alexander J. Abel.....	337	*Robert K. Lamere.....	307
Ralph Carmichael	216	*Maurice B. Marshall.....	245
*George F. Choate.....	318	*Samuel F. McCormack.....	353
*Sidney M. Couper.....	288	*George E. Morissette.....	318
Donald L. Cummings.....	168	Joseph J. Mullen.....	217
Thomas A. Davis.....	203	John A. Naas.....	193
*William S. Esau.....	325	*P. Bradford Sheppard.....	221
*Edward J. Finerty.....	316	*Charles J. Stavredes.....	224
*Robert E. Foster.....	317	Donald J. White.....	201
George F. Geden.....	151	*John F. White.....	360
*David E. Hollidge.....	296	Blanks	2561
Joseph J. Hurley.....	181		

PRECINCT OFFICERS

Precinct 1

Roy W. Lincoln, Warden	Francis J. Poleski, Teller
Harold V. Burt, Dep. Warden	Robert C. Duncan, Teller
Carl H. Kullen, Clerk	Charles W. Flagg, Teller
Beresford M. Watson, Dep. Clerk	William A. Will, Teller
Royal C. Lincoln, Inspector	Daniel J. McDonough, Teller
John J. Donovan, Inspector	Katherine S. Gould, Teller
William F. Walsh, Dep. Inspector	

Precinct 2

Walter H. Cavanaugh, Warden	Decran J. Gulesian, Dep. Inspector
Frank Delaney, Dep. Warden	Edward J. Shaughnessy, Teller
Coleman J. Kennedy, Clerk	Frank S. Wyman, Teller
Lawrence D. Donovan, Dep. Clerk	William H. White, Teller
John J. Ferren, Inspector	John J. White, Teller
Theodore E. Parker, Inspector	Charles J. Small, Jr., Teller
William J. Schwendemann, Dep. Inspector	

Precinct 3

T. Francis Fallon, Warden	James F. Henry, Dep. Inspector
Francis J. Ward, Dep. Warden	Francis X. Masterson, Teller
Leonard E. Littlefield, Clerk	J. Edward Tucker, Teller
Thomas J. Moore, Dep. Clerk	John A. Runey, Teller
Herman F. Clark, Inspector	George A. Lobban, Teller
W. Russell Pierce, Inspector	James M. Burke, Teller
Horace J. Lawrence, Dep. Inspector	Horace C. Plummer, Teller

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Precinct 4

Charles E. Cross, Warden	Henry V. Nelson, Teller
Frank W. Cappers, Dep. Warden	John R. Hannigan, Teller
Alfred W. Porter, Clerk	Herbert M. Fish, Teller
John H. Burt, Dep. Clerk	Robert E. Dwyer, Teller
Benjamin B. B. Coleman, Inspector	George F. Steptoe, Teller
Alfred V. Huntley, Jr., Inspector	George E. Holland, Teller
Robert J. Shaughnessy, Dep. Inspector	Charles E. Cross, Jr., Teller

Precinct 5

Frederick W. Kurth, Warden	Eleanor L. Parker, Teller
Stanley F. Snell, Dep. Warden	Mary V. Coleman, Teller
John J. Monahan, Clerk	Ruth M. Anderson, Teller
Nathan L. Pond, Inspector	John H. Houlahan, Teller
Alfred L. Mullen, Inspector	Eleanor M. Cappers, Teller
John P. Byrne, Dep. Inspector	Russell Swift, Teller
Howard A. Smith, Dep. Inspector	

Precinct 6

Henry J. Quinn, Warden	Carl V. Payson, Teller
Ralph E. DuMoulin, Dep. Warden	Margaret G. Levins, Teller
John T. O'Leary, Clerk	Helen L. Stasey, Teller
Arthur E. Brackett, Dep. Clerk	Florence Fitzgerald, Teller
Alfred J. Martin, Inspector	Russell C. Bartlett, Teller
George F. Moulton, Dep. Inspector	Roland A. Bourdon, Teller

Precinct 7

George E. Johnson, Warden	Paul V. Morrisette, Teller
Thomas W. McCormack, Clerk	Warren W. Hoxie, Teller
Bradford H. Lewis, Dep. Clerk	Michael F. Sullivan, Teller
Frank H. Foster, Jr., Inspector	George E. Johnson, Jr., Teller
Donald R. Ellis, Inspector	Leighton A. Clapp, Teller
Arthur S. Forbes, Dep. Inspector	Paul F. Gannon, Teller
Frank J. Gannon, Dep. Inspector	Earl F. Loud, Teller

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ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 8, 1953

The meeting was opened at 1:30 P.M. by the Moderator, Benjamin F. Jaques. Town Meeting members stood while Monsignor Donovan delivered the invocation. The Moderator then read the name of George K. Cowan who had died since last town meeting and the Town Meeting Members stood for a moment of silence.

ARTICLE 1. To choose all such Town Officers as are not required to be chosen by ballot.

Voted: To elect George P. Blenkhorn and John H. Freeman as Measurers of Lumber.

ARTICLE 2. To hear and act upon the report of the Town Accountant and reports of other Town Officers and Committees.

Voted: That the report of the Town Accountant be accepted and placed on file.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: as printed in the annual 1952 Town Report were accepted and placed on file.

Report of the Milton Elementary School Construction Committee

To the Citizens of Milton:

Your committee authorized under Article 55 of the Town Meeting of March 11, 1950 has carried on its work as outlined in that article.

The building has been completed and was occupied by the School Department at the beginning of the school year in September 1952.

The grounds will be completed with the coming of good weather this Spring.

E. E. ERICKSON
J. C. MAHONEY
JOSEPH D. LELAND
WILLIAM B. CROSBY

The above report was accepted and placed on file.

Resolutions on the death of James S. Russell

To the voters of the Town of Milton:

At the Special Town Meeting on July 2, 1952, it was Voted, that the Moderator appoint a Committee of three citizens to draw up suitable resolutions on the death of James Savage Russell, a much loved and respected public spirited citizen.

The undersigned were appointed as the Committee and present herewith the following resolutions for adoption by the Town and recommend that a copy thereof be sent to Mrs. Russell.

LINCOLN BRYANT
REGINALD L. ROBBINS
ROGER WOLCOTT

by: ROGER WOLCOTT, Chairman

August 28, 1952

James Savage Russell, son of Colonel Henry Sturgis Russell and Mary Hathaway Forbes, was named for his father's Civil War comrade in arms, Lieutenant-Colonel James Savage, who had died in 1862 of wounds received in the battle of Cedar Mountain. He was born in Milton March 8, 1864, and died there October 17, 1951. After his graduation from Harvard College in 1887 he worked for four years with

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the banking firm of Lee, Higginson & Co., and thereafter gave his time to the care of extensive real estate interests in Milton, and to the operation of his beloved "Home Farm" with its extensive herd of Guernsey cattle.

He served his native town with distinction as Chairman of the Warrant Committee for four years, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen in 1916 and 1917, and the first Chairman of the Planning Board from 1923 to 1937. He was United States Fuel Administration for Milton in the First World War, and served on various important special committees of the Town. He was a frequent and effective speaker at Town Meetings, and few causes which he favored failed to prevail. Nor were his services limited to town affairs; his sympathy and unobtrusive generosity helped many in time of need.

His public-spiritedness was sometimes accompanied by a certain bluntness of speech which his hearers well understood, and which never alienated their support, for they knew that few men knew the town as he did, and that none gave it more devoted service.

The foregoing resolution was accepted and placed on file.

The report of the Glover School Construction Committee was read by Blake Cruckshank.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1953, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, (General Laws Ter. Ed.).

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1953, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws (Ter. Ed.).

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow on and after January 1, 1954, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year ending December 31, 1954.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time between January 1, 1954 and the Annual Town Meeting of that year in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, for the purpose and subject to the provisions set forth in Section 5 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

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ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to employ counsel to represent the Town at hearings before Committees of the General Court.

Voted: To authorize the Selectmen to employ counsel to represent the Town at hearings before Committees of the General Court.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five citizens to consider such proceedings of the Legislature and State Boards and Commissions as may affect the interests of the Town, and confer as they may think expedient with the Selectmen in regard to the employment of counsel to represent the Town in any such proceedings; the members of such Committee to hold office until the final adjournment of the next annual Town Meeting and until the appointment of any succeeding committee authorized at such meeting.

Voted: To authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five citizens to consider such proceedings of the Legislature and State Boards and Commissions as may affect the interests of the Town, and confer as they may think expedient with the Selectmen in regard to the employment of counsel to represent the Town in any such proceedings; the members of such Committee to hold office until the final adjournment of the next Annual Town Meeting and until the appointment of any succeeding committee authorized at such meeting.

COMMITTEE

FRANK B. FREDERICK, 45 Morton Rd.

DONALD JACKSON, 164 Pleasant St.

WILLIAM A. PARKS, 29 Hillcrest Rd.

JOHN E. ROGERSON, 114 Canton Ave.

FRANK A. STOUT, JR., 3 Hoy Terrace

Mr. Frederick is requested to call the committee together for organization.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952 which provides that pensions, retirement allowances or annuity payable under any general or special law to any former employee, except teachers retired under Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, who was separated from the service prior to April 1, 1951, and at the time of such retirement had attained age fifty-five and had at least fifteen years of creditable service, or to any person retired for disability caused by accident or hazard undergone while in the performance of his duties regardless of years of creditable service, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided, the annual amount is not in excess of \$2500.; and further provides that if any such employee was separated from the service at age sixty-five and had at the time of retirement at least thirty-five years of creditable service and his pension is less than \$1500., it shall be increased to \$1500.; and further provides that the annual amount of any annuity or allowance payable under the provisions of section nine, eighty-nine, eighty-nine A or under options (c) or (d) of subdivision (2) of section twelve of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, or any similar law, to the widow of any deceased employee of the town, shall be increased by \$100., provided, that the member whose widow is receiving a pension under said options (c) or (d) had at least fifteen years of creditable service, and further provided, that such widow does not remarry.

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ARTICLE 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Pensions and Annuities the present year:

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| 1. Police and Firemen | 4. Police and Firemen's Widows |
| 2. Special Annuity | 5. Laborers |
| 3. Annuities | 6. School Teachers |

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

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| 1. Police and Firemen, Section 85, Chapter 32, General Laws, (Ter. Ed.) as amended, Section 57 of said Chapter as amended, Chapter 588 of Acts of 1948, Chapter 820 of Acts of 1950, Chapter 781 of Acts of 1951 and Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952..... | \$40,794.15 |
| 2. Annuity, Chapter 16, Special Acts of 1919, Chapter 231 of Acts of 1937, Chapter 552 of Acts of 1948, Chapter 757 of Acts of 1950, Chapter 781 of Acts of 1951 and Chapter 624 of Acts of 1952..... | \$ 1,679.16 |
| 3. Annuities, Section 89, Chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as amended, Chapter 552 of Acts of 1948, Chapter 757 of Acts of 1950, Chapter 781 of Acts of 1951 and Chapter 624 of Acts of 1952.... | \$ 5,037.48 |
| 4. Police and Firemen's Widows Pensions, Section 88, Chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 231 of Acts of 1950, Chapter 781 of Acts of 1951 and Chapter 624 of Acts of 1952..... | \$ 2,958.32 |
| 5. Laborers' Pensions, Section 77, Chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Section 57 of Chapter 32 as amended, Chapter 588 of Acts of 1948, Chapter 820 of Acts of 1950, Chapter 781 of Acts of 1951 and Chapter 624 of Acts of 1952..... | \$14,957.66 |
| 6. School Teachers' Pensions, Section 42, Chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Section 43 of said Chapter as amended, Chapter 588 of Acts of 1948 and Chapter 748 of Acts of 1949..... | \$ 5,107.50 |

ARTICLE 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Veterans' Benefits the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$20,000.00 be appropriated for Veterans' Benefits the present year of which \$1,701.72 is for salaries and wages.

ARTICLE 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Contributory Retirement System and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$28,176.15 be appropriated for the Contributory Retirement System of which \$1,889.36 is for salaries and wages.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for General Government for salaries and expenses of the following departments, and other purposes the present year:

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| 1. Warrant Committee | 9. Election and Registration |
| 2. Selectmen | a. Street Listing |
| 3. Accountant | 10. Law |
| 4. Town Engineer | 11. Town Hall and Lot & Thacher Bldg. |
| 5. Assessors | 12. Insurance |
| 6. Treasurer | 13. Town Reports |
| 7. Tax Collector & Town Collector | 14. Board of Appeals |
| 8. Town Clerk | 15. Planning Board |

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

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1.	Warrant Committee	\$ 3,600.00
	Of which \$800.00 is for salary and wages.	
2.	Selectmen	8,479.88
	The salaries of the Selectmen are hereby fixed at \$800.00 for each Selectman for the calendar year 1953 and \$7,379.88 is appropriated for salaries and wages.	
3.	Accountant	8,146.68
	Including the salary of the Accountant which for the calendar year 1953 shall be fixed at \$5,324.40; provided however, that the salary of the Town Accountant shall be reduced by the amount which he receives as retirement allowance under General Laws, Chapter 32, and such a salary is hereby fixed accordingly. Also including \$3,246.36 for other salaries and wages.	
4.	Town Engineer	31,002.86
	Of which \$29,643.86 is for salaries and wages.	
5.	Assessors	14,526.64
	Including the salary of the Chairman which is hereby fixed at \$1,500.00 and the salaries of each of the 2nd and 3rd members is hereby fixed at \$1,100.00; provided, however, that the salary of any assessor shall be reduced by the amount which he receives as retirement allowance under General Laws, Chapter 32, and such a salary is hereby fixed accordingly. Also including \$8,181.60 for other salaries and wages.	
6.	Treasurer	8,049.50
	Including the salary of the Treasurer which for the calendar year 1953 shall be fixed at \$5,324.40. Also including \$1,827.10 for other salaries and wages.	
7.	Tax Collector and Town Collector.....	10,534.94
	Including the salary of the Tax Collector and Town Collector which for the calendar year 1953 shall be fixed at \$4,124.40; provided however, that the salary of the Tax Collector and Town Collector shall be reduced by the amount which he receives as retirement allowance under General Laws, Chapter 32, and such a salary is hereby fixed accordingly. Also including \$7,228.66 for other salaries and wages.	
8.	Town Clerk	3,243.37
	Including the salary of the Town Clerk which is fixed at \$1,200.00. Also including \$1,508.37 for other salaries and wages.	
9.	Election and Registration.....	4,403.10
	Of which \$2,429.00 is for salaries and wages.	
9a.	Street Listing	2,272.81
	Of which \$1,728.81 is for salaries and wages.	
10.	Law	7,784.00
	Of which \$5,000.00 is for salaries and wages.	
11.	Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building.....	15,622.45
	Of which \$10,130.96 is for salaries and wages, \$300.00 is for overtime and \$150.00 is for new equipment.	

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12. Insurance	30,465.56
13. Town Reports	4,500.00
14. Board of Appeals.....	1,000.00
15. Planning Board	2,780.00

ARTICLE 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the protection of persons and property the present year:

1. Police Department	6. Street Lighting
2. Fire Department	7. Additional Lights
3. Hydrant Service	8. 1. Building Department
4. Wire Department	2. Plumbing Inspector
5. Forestry Department	9. Sealer of Weights and Measures
For Public Work	10. Traffic Lights
For Private Work	

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Police Department — General	\$205,380.25
Private Work	4,000.00

The above appropriation of \$205,380.25 includes the sum of \$186,595.25 for salaries and wages; \$4,140.00 for the purchase of four cruising cars, and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment; \$200.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; and the sum of \$2,000.00 for uniforms.

2. Fire Department	220,234.21
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The above appropriation of \$220,234.21 includes the sum of \$185,137.21 for salaries and wages; \$150.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; \$1,200.00 for uniforms; \$18,000 for the purchase of a new pumper; \$650.00 for repairs on fire department apparatus and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment; and \$750.00 for other equipment.

3. Hydrant Service	28,420.00
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The above appropriation is to be taken from the general taxes for the current year as Hydrant Rental, and is payable to the Water Department in quarterly installments upon presentation of its bills.

4. Wire Department	26,796.63
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The above appropriation of \$26,796.63 includes the sum of \$14,980.87 for salaries and wages; \$500.00 for overtime; \$100.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and em-

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ployees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; and \$5,747.76 for new equipment and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for new equipment.

5. Forestry Department	42,880.06
The above appropriation of \$42,880.06 includes the sum of \$33,447.66 for salaries and wages; \$300.00 for overtime; \$500.00 for planting of trees; \$813.40 for new equipment and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment; and the aggregate appropriation for the Department includes \$2,500.00 to be expended in control work against the Dutch Elm Disease as required under Acts of 1949, Chapter 761, Section 13; \$5,000.00 to be expended for Insect-Pest Control under Acts of 1948, Chapter 660, Section 11; and \$3,000.00 for Private Work.	
6. Street Lighting	55,411.32
7. Additional Lights	600.00
8. Building Department	12,030.86
Of which \$10,950.36 is for salaries and wages.	
Plumbing Inspector	1,720.00
9. Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,624.90
Of which \$1,200.00 is for salaries and wages; and \$35.00 is for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department.	
10. Traffic Lights	1,210.00

ARTICLE 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Health and Sanitation the present year:

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| 1. Health — General | 4. Sewer Maintenance |
| 2. Dental Dispensary for Schools | 5. Maintenance of T.B. Clinic |
| 3. Inspector of Animals | 6. Mandatory Hospitalization |

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Health — General	\$10,442.56
Of which \$6,342.50 is for salaries and wages.	
2. Dental Dispensary for Schools	1,900.00
3. Inspector of Animals	300.00
4. Sewer Maintenance	14,517.26
Of which \$9,103.26 is for salaries and wages; and \$100.00 is for overtime.	
5. Maintenance of Tuberculosis Clinic	1,600.00
6. Mandatory Hospitalization	7,000.00

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ARTICLE 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the disposal of garbage, ashes and other refuse and offal the present year and to see if the Town will authorize the Board of Health to make a contract therefor in the name and behalf of the Town for not more than three years commencing May 1, 1953, under the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 4, of the General Laws, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$69,630 be appropriated for the disposal of garbage, ashes and other refuse and offal the present year and that the Board of Health be and hereby is authorized to make a contract in the name and behalf of the Town for the disposal of garbage, ashes and other refuse and offal for a term of not more than three years commencing May 1, 1953 at a rate of \$36,820.00 per year.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year the mosquito control works.

Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year, the mosquito control works as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 112, Acts of 1931.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800.00 to reduce the mosquito nuisance in the entire area of the Town (8448 acres) by spraying from the air by helicopter and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$1,800.00 be appropriated to reduce the mosquito nuisance in the entire area of the Town (8448 acres) by spraying from the air by helicopter.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of maintaining Rodent Control, as recommended by the Board of Health, and act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of maintaining Rodent Control, as recommended by the Board of Health.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to purchase or take by eminent domain under General Laws, Chapter 79, for the purposes of a municipal dump all or part of the parcel of land in the vicinity of Quarry Lane, Milton, bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southwesterly sideline of Quarry Lane at the corner of land now or formerly of James and Ellen M. Cullen one and 42/100 (1.42) feet southeasterly from a stone bound and from said point of beginning running southeasterly by Quarry Lane two hundred sixty-six and 8/10 (266.8) feet;

Thence turning and running northeasterly by Quarry Lane and by land now or formerly of Louise Dalerio one hundred and fifty-five and 2/10 (155.2) feet to land of the Town of Milton;

Thence turning and running southeasterly again by said land of the Town of Milton and the southwesterly limit of Ash Street one thousand eighty-three and 3/10 (1083.3) feet;

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Thence turning and running northeasterly again by land of the Town of Milton four hundred forty-three (443) feet;

Thence turning and running southeasterly again by land of the Town of Milton four hundred sixty and 5/10 (460.5) feet to the corner of land now or formerly of Samuel G. Craig;

Thence turning and running southwesterly by said Craig land two hundred eleven (211) feet;

Thence turning and running southeasterly again by said Craig land four hundred twenty-two (422) feet to the Town line at Quincy;

Thence turning and running southwesterly again along said Town line and by land now or formerly of Mary J. Hollis and Elizabeth H. Darling eight hundred eighty-nine and 4/10 (889.4) feet;

Thence turning and running northwesterly by land now or formerly of Amos L. Taylor, trustee, and land now or formerly of Margaret M. O'Neill one thousand seven hundred forty-five (1745) feet;

Thence turning and running northeasterly by said O'Neill land ninety-five (95) feet;

Thence turning and running northwesterly again by said O'Neill land three hundred (300) feet; and

Thence turning and running northeasterly again by said O'Neill land and by land now or formerly of James and Ellen M. Cullen two hundred twenty-six and 9/10 (226.9) feet to the point of beginning.

Containing 33.265 acres. Said parcel is shown on a plan entitled "Plan of Land in Milton, Massachusetts" dated February 7, 1950, by Alexander E. Manning, Town Engineer, and filed in the office of the Town Engineer.

And to appropriate money for the same and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote. Result of Vote: Yes 119, No. 123.

ARTICLE 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to expend for the construction of sewers for sanitary purposes and for sewage disposal and to appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise money for the same and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$124,081.61 of which \$16,221.61 is for salaries and wages; and \$1,200.00 is for overtime; and that to meet said appropriation there shall be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$44,081.61, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$80,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes bearing on their face the words "Town of Milton, Sewer Construction Loan, 1953" and to be payable in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of the first bond or note, or by such earlier date as the Treasurer and the Selectmen shall determine.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Water Department for the current year and to provide for the disposition of obsolete property and act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$211,443.99 for the general uses of the Water Department during the present year, to be expended by the Water Commissioners

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in accordance with the Acts of 1902, Chapter 307, and Acts in Amendment thereof and in addition thereto, said uses to include:

- a. the sum of \$69,299.12 for salaries and wages;
- b. the sum of \$3,450.00 for temporary help;
- c. the sum of \$3,500.00 for overtime;
- d. the Metropolitan Water assessment;
- e. the retirement of bonds and/or notes outstanding in Town of Milton Water Loans;
- f. the interest on bonds and/or notes outstanding in Town of Milton Water Loans;
- g. a sum of \$35,000.00 for the extension of, and improvements to the system of mains;
- h. a sum of \$2,400.00 for the purchase of a new ½ ton truck and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment;
- i. a sum of \$1,044.86 for the purchase of additional new equipment; and the Water Commissioners are hereby authorized to sell without first obtaining the approval of the Board of Selectmen, junk, metal, cast iron, brass, and similar material and discarded meters, whether dismantled or not, in the usual course of its operation;
- j. the sum of \$250.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department;
- k. all other lawful expenditures;

and that to meet said appropriation \$131,148.66 be raised from the tax levy of the current year and \$80,295.33 be transferred from the available Water Department Surplus as of December 31, 1952.

ARTICLE 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for expenditure by the Board of Water Commissioners, said sum to be held in a special account to be known as the Account for Mains in Private Ways and to be expended for the purpose of constructing water mains and appurtenances in private ways as to which deposits shall have been made to reimburse the Town for such expenditures. No such expenditure shall be made in or liability incurred in connection with any such way in excess of the deposit made for such way and until after such deposit has been made, and until after takings have been made of rights and easements necessary for the construction and maintenance of such water mains and appurtenances, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$6,495.07 from available funds on hand January 1, 1953 for expenditure by the Board of Water Commissioners, said sum to be held in a special account to be known as the Account for Mains in Private Ways and to be expended for the purpose of constructing water mains and appurtenances in private ways as to which deposits shall have been made to reimburse the Town for such expenditures. No such expenditure shall be made in or liability incurred in connection with any such way in excess of the deposit made for such way and until after such deposit has been made, and until after takings have been made of rights and easements necessary for the construction and maintenance of such water mains and appurtenances.

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ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Water Commissioners in the name and behalf of the Town to enter into an agreement with the Town of Canton, under which the Town of Milton will maintain certain water mains and operate part of the Canton water distribution system, for which the Town of Canton will pay the cost of the water plus 10 per cent thereof in the area bounded by and included in the following streets in Canton:

Part of Blue Hill Street; Washington Street from Milton line to a point about 100 feet south of Royal Street; Royal Street from Washington Street to Green Street; Green Street from Royal Street to Canton Avenue, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the executed agreement between the Town of Milton and the Town of Canton presented to this meeting under Article 23 be approved and that the action of the Board of Water Commissioners in executing the same in the name and behalf of the Town be and hereby is ratified, approved, and confirmed; and that a copy of said agreement be inserted in the records of this meeting.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF MILTON AND THE TOWN OF CANTON RELATING TO WATER SUPPLY

THIS AGREEMENT made this 9th day of March, 1953, by and between the Town of Milton (hereinafter called "Milton") and the Town of Canton (hereinafter called "Canton") both municipal corporations in Norfolk County, Massachusetts,

WITNESSETH THAT: WHEREAS, Milton and Canton each desire to enter into an agreement under which Milton will supply water for domestic and municipal use in part of Canton in accordance with the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth,

NOW THEREFORE, 1. Milton agrees at its expense to make the necessary connections between its water mains and the existing water mains of Canton shown on the plan hereinafter referred to, and Milton further agrees that, after said connections have been made, it will supply all water needed by Canton during the term of this agreement for domestic and municipal use in the area, as hereinafter described, served by said mains. A plan showing the mains in Canton referred to above, entitled "Sketch of Part of the Town of Canton" by Alexander E. Manning, Town Engineer, dated January, 1953, is attached to and made a part of this agreement. The area served by said mains is bounded by and includes the following streets:

Blue Hill Street.

Washington Street from Milton line to a point about one hundred feet south of Royal Street.

Royal Street from Washington Street to Green Street.

Green Street from Royal Street to Canton Avenue.

2. Milton agrees at its expense to maintain and repair said mains and shall have the right at its own expense to enlarge or replace any of them but shall have no obligation to do so.

3. Milton agrees at its expense to test and repair all consumers meters in the area served by said mains, but it is agreed that employees of Milton will not enter upon private property in Canton for said purposes except when accompanied by an employee of Canton.

4. Canton agrees at its expense to maintain and repair hydrants and all services and pipes other than said mains in said area.

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5. Canton agrees that it will read all consumers meters in said area and render bills for the water passing through such meters and collect the same. The amounts so collected shall be retained by Canton.

6. Canton shall keep such records as are reasonably necessary to carry out the terms of this agreement, which records shall be available for inspection by Milton, and Canton shall report to Milton at least semi-annually the number of gallons of water furnished under this contract as shown by the aggregate readings of the consumers meters in said area.

7. Canton agrees to pay Milton, at least semi-annually, for the water furnished under this agreement, as shown by the aggregate readings of consumers meters referred to in the next preceding paragraph, at the same rate per gallon as the Metropolitan District Commission from time to time charges Milton per gallon plus 10 percent of said charges.

8. Canton will make available to Milton its plans and blueprints showing the location of said mains and all pipes and services connected thereto.

9. This agreement shall continue in full force and effect until terminated by either party in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 40, Section 4A, but Milton shall not be liable for any failure to meet its obligations hereunder if such failure arises from circumstances beyond its control.

10. This agreement shall become effective only if and when the authorization thereof by Town Meetings of both Milton and Canton has become effective.

TOWN OF MILTON

By:

ERNEST E. ERICKSON

JOHN B. MOORE

WILLIAM P. MELLEY

Board of Water Commissioners

TOWN OF CANTON

By:

CHARLES F. LEARY

FRANCIS J. CARROLL

ORLOW S. BRIGHT, JR.

Board of Public Works

ARTICLE 24. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the maintenance and improvement of the Cemetery the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$64,137.00 be appropriated, of which \$41,788.00 is for salaries and wages; \$2,000.00 is for overtime; \$3,000.00 is for road construction; \$3,000.00 is for contract development; \$675.00 is for the purchase of a power barrow; \$1,487.00 is for new automotive equipment and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment; and including the sum of \$150.00 for the necessary expenses of the officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$54,077.00 be raised from the tax levy of the current year; the sum of \$60.00 be transferred from the Sale of Cemetery Lots and Graves; and the balance of \$10,000.00 shall be used from the Interest on Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund Account.

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ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as authorized by General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, under the terms of which the Town will assume liability for all damages to property suffered by any person by any taking of land or of any right, interest, or easement therein made by the Commonwealth through the Department of Public Works in connection with the improvement, development, maintenance, and protection of Pine Tree Brook in the Town of Milton and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as authorized by General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, under the terms of which the Town will assume liability for all damages to property suffered by any person by any taking of land or of any right, interest, or easement therein made by the Commonwealth through the Department of Public Works in connection with the improvement, development, maintenance, and protection of Pine Tree Brook in the Town of Milton.

ARTICLE 26. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate and pay to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth in the ensuing year under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, for the improvement of Pine Tree Brook and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$30,000.00 for the improvement of Pine Tree Brook by the Commonwealth, so much or all of said sum to be paid to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth as may be necessary to reimburse the Commonwealth for one-half of the cost of work done by the Commonwealth in the improvement of Pine Tree Brook under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 11.

ARTICLE 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Highway Department the present year.

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. General Expense	\$142,000.00
2. Drainage	13,000.00
3. Permanent Construction	35,000.00
4. Private Work	3,000.00
5. Sidewalks	2,500.00
6. New Equipment	4,950.00

And the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment.

From the aggregate amounts appropriated under this Article, under Article 28, under Article 29, and under Article 30 taken together, the following sums, but no more, shall be available for salaries, wages and overtime, namely: \$140,358.78 for salaries and wages, and \$12,000.00 for overtime.

ARTICLE 28. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for maintaining, repairing, improving and constructing ways under the provisions of General Laws, (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 90.

Voted: That the sum of \$4,500.00 be appropriated to be expended for maintaining, repairing, improving and constructing ways under the provisions of General

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Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 90 and that to meet said appropriation there be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$1,500.00 and that the sum of \$3,000.00 be appropriated from available funds on hand January 1, 1953 to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County, to be restored, upon their receipt to available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost under General Laws, Chapter 90, of resurfacing Central Avenue from Brook Road to approximately Columbine Road, a public way, to a three inch depth in two courses, on a width of 50 foot traveled way; and in addition to see if the Town will recommend that the sum of \$18,000.00 shall be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury or shall be borrowed by the Treasurer under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 6A, to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the above work; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$24,000.00 be appropriated to be expended for the resurfacing of Central Avenue from Brook Road to approximately Columbine Road and that to meet said appropriation there be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$6,000.00 and that the sum of \$18,000.00 be appropriated from available funds on hand January 1, 1953 to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt to available funds in the treasury.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following streets or roads, or any of them, as Town ways, as laid out by the Selectmen under laws authorizing assessment of betterments and to raise and appropriate by borrowing or otherwise money for the construction of said public ways, including the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of construction, and for payment of land damages:

Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street from Public Portion to Blue Hill Avenue.

Parts of Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle from Ferncroft Road to Hudson Street

Prince Street from Blue Hill Avenue to Roosevelt Street

and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote with respect to all of the streets described in this Article and that the sum of \$41,250.00 be appropriated to be expended for original construction as follows:

Parts of Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street.....	\$13,500.00
Parts of Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle.....	14,130.00
Prince Street	13,620.00

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town without assessment of Betterments and without making an appropriation will vote to accept the following streets, or any of them, as Town ways, as laid out by the Selectmen:

Badger Circle from Pleasant Street to Pleasant Street

Coolidge Road from Reedsdale Road to Private Land

Part of Craig Street from Public Portion 402 feet Southerly

Gerald Road from Pleasant Street to Phyllis Lane

Kevin Road from Robbins Street to Craig Street

Nancy Road from Gerald Road to Phyllis Lane

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Sias Lane (formerly Richard Road) from Coolidge Road to Private Land and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote with respect to all the streets described in this Article.

ARTICLE 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Public Library the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$75,968.45 be appropriated of which \$52,588.20 is for salaries and wages; \$2,975.00 is for pages, assistants and substitute janitor; \$1,127.50 is for replacement of equipment; \$906.00 is for new equipment; and including the sum of \$250.00 for the necessary expenses of the officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the services of the Department.

ARTICLE 33. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in part by bond issue and in part by the tax levy of the current year for the erection, equipping, and furnishing of an addition to the Central Library, said addition to include a World War II Memorial Room; and further to see if the Town will authorize the Trustees of the Public Library to employ the services of an architect, to advertise and secure bids, to let a contract or contracts, and to supervise the erection, equipping, and furnishing of said Library addition, all in the name and behalf of the Town, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town make no appropriation for the erection, equipping, and furnishing of an addition to the Central Library but that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five citizens to make further study in consultation with the Library Trustees and the School Committee with respect to an addition to the Central Library including a World War II Memorial Room and that said committee be authorized to employ architects and engineers to prepare preliminary plans sufficient to obtain estimates of the cost of such an addition to the Central Library; said committee to file its report with the Board of Selectmen, the Library Trustees and the School Committee on or before November 1, 1953, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting and that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the expenses of said committee.

COMMITTEE

COPELAND M. DRAPER, 224 Hinckley Road
C. RODGERS BURGIN, 138 Central Avenue
WILLIAM J. DALY, JR., 391 Eliot Street
JOSEPH J. O'BRIEN, 33 Governors Road
RALSTON B. SMYTH, 240 Edge Hill Road

Mr. Draper is to call the committee together for organization.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept a gift from Milton Education Society in the amount of \$2,034.25 and authorize the Treasurer of the Town under General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 35, and under the terms of said gift, to hold the same in trust for the use of the Public Library of the Town and make such sum available to the Trustees of the Library, both principal and income, as said Library Trustees shall request from time to time, for the purpose of adding to educational material maintained by the Library with particular reference to the

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purchase and maintenance of a collection of phonograph records, tape recordings, and the like, of the performance of musical compositions and allied subjects; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To accept a gift from Milton Education Society in the amount of \$2,034.25 and authorize the Treasurer of the Town under General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 35, and under the terms of said gift, to hold the same in trust for the use of the Public Library of the Town and make such sum available to the Trustees of the Library, both principal and income, as said Library Trustees shall request from time to time, for the purpose of adding to educational material maintained by the Library with particular reference to the purchase and maintenance of a collection of phonograph records, tape recordings, and the like, of the performance of musical compositions and allied subjects.

ARTICLE 35. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the support of schools for the year 1953 and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the total sum of \$868,750.99 be appropriated as follows: \$710,449.89 for salaries and wages; and including the sum of \$400.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of our schools in 1953.

ARTICLE 36. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Vocational Education under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 74, and for unpaid bills of 1952, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Vocational Education	\$6,500.00
Unpaid bills of 1952.....	229.80
2. State-Aided Practical Arts Classes.....	2,700.00

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to take by eminent domain under General Laws, Chapter 79, for school purposes a parcel of land adjoining the southerly boundary of the Glover School land containing approximately 1.62 acres and bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point at the southwesterly corner of land taken by the Town of Milton for school purposes by an instrument dated October 9, 1952, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 3120, Page 343, and from said point of beginning running S16° 01' 49"W, seven (7) feet to an iron pipe; Thence continuing S16° 01' 49"W, one hundred eighty-five (185) feet to a point in Turner's Pond, so called;

Thence turning and running S74° 05' 29"E, four hundred and seventy-eight (478) feet to a point in the southerly boundary of said land taken by the Town of Milton in October, 1952;

Thence turning and running in a generally northwesterly direction by said southerly boundary, five hundred eighty (580) feet more or less to the point of beginning.

and to authorize the School Committee to exercise in connection with said parcel all usual and necessary powers and to appropriate money to acquire the same and to act on anything relating thereto.

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Voted: That the town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to take by eminent domain for school purposes, a parcel of land adjoining the southerly boundary of the Glover School containing approximately 1.62 acres and bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point at the southwesterly corner of land taken by the Town of Milton for school purposes by an instrument dated October 9, 1952, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 3120, Page 343, and from said point of beginning running S16° 01' 49"W, seven (7) feet to an iron pipe;

Thence continuing S16° 01' 49"W, one hundred eighty-five (185) feet to a point in Turner's Pond, so called;

Thence turning and running S74° 05' 29"E, four hundred and seventy-eight (478) feet to a point in the southerly boundary of said land taken by the Town of Milton in October, 1952;

Thence turning and running in a generally northwesterly direction by said southerly boundary, five hundred eighty (580) feet more or less to the point of beginning.

and that the School Committee be and hereby is authorized to exercise in connection with said parcel all usual and necessary powers and that the sum of one dollar be appropriated for the purpose of acquiring the same.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey for the minimum sum of one dollar (\$1.00) a part of the school land adjacent to the pond acquired in 1952 for the Glover School, containing approximately .18 acre and bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a drill hole on the northeasterly side of a bridge at the easterly end of Turner's Pond so called and running N18° 38' 42"E, five and 03/100 (5.03) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N30° 30'W, twenty-five (25) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N46° 59' 08"W, three hundred thirty-eight and 80/100 (338.80) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N74° 05' 29"W, eighteen (18) feet to a point in the southerly boundary of land taken by the Town of Milton in October, 1952;

Thence turning and running in a generally southeasterly direction by said southerly boundary, four hundred twenty-five (425) feet more or less to the northwesterly corner of the bridge first above mentioned;

Thence turning and running S71° 15' 18"E, eighteen and 50/100 (18.50) feet by the northerly side of said bridge to the point of beginning.

Reserving to the Grantor the right to pass and repass over a strip of land eighteen and 50/100 (18.50) feet in width at the southeasterly end of said parcel in order to avail itself of the right of way and other easements included in said taking of October 1952.

Said parcel being no longer required for school purposes; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer, and convey all the right, title and interest of the Town in and to a parcel of land bounded and described substantially as follows:

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Beginning at a drill hole on the northeasterly side of a bridge at the easterly end of Turner's Pond so-called and running N18° 38' 42"E, five and 03/100 (5.03) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N30° 30'W, twenty-five (25) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N46° 59' 08"W, three hundred thirty-eight and 80/100 (338.80) feet to a point;

Thence turning and running N74° 05' 29"W, eighteen (18) feet to a point in the southerly boundary of land taken by the Town of Milton in October, 1952;

Thence turning and running in a generally southeasterly direction by said southerly boundary, four hundred twenty-five (425) feet more or less to the northwesterly corner of the bridge first above mentioned;

Thence turning and running S71° 15' 18"E, eighteen and 50/100 (18.50) feet by the northerly side of said bridge to the point of beginning.

Reserving to the Grantor the right to pass and repass over a strip of land eighteen and 50/100 (18.50) feet in width at the southeasterly end of said parcel in order to avail itself of the right of way and other easements included in said taking of October 1952.

for not less than the sum of one dollar and to execute and deliver all necessary instruments in connection therewith.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to make further study, in consultation with the School Committee, of the physical education facilities of the high school building, and authorize said committee to employ architects and engineers to prepare preliminary plans sufficient to obtain estimates of the cost of additional facilities, and to file their report with the Board of Selectmen and the School Committee on or before November 1, 1953, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and to appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the expenses of said committee and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to make further study in consultation with the School Committee of its proposal for enlarging and improving the present physical education facilities of the high school building, and authorize said committee to employ architects and engineers to prepare preliminary plans sufficient to obtain estimates of the cost of additional facilities, and to file their report with the Board of Selectmen and the School Committee on or before November 1, 1953, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and to appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the expenses of said committee.

COMMITTEE

WILFRED P. DEMILLE, 157 School Street

WILLIAM KLEHM, 128 Gulliver Street

NORTON T. MULLEN, 54 Rustlewood Road

Mr. deMille is to call the committee together for organization.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the care, custody, management, and control of the following described parcel of real estate to the Park Department for playground purposes.

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School Land — Eliot Street

Beginning at a point 99.13 feet southwesterly from the point of curve at the southwesterly corner of Waldo Road at Eliot Street;

Thence running southeasterly 592.69 feet;

Thence running westerly 111 feet;

Thence running southerly 177.82 feet to a stone monument on the northerly sideline of Columbine Road;

Thence running westerly 62.58 feet to a point of curve;

Thence turning and running 33.44 feet by a radius of 20 feet in a general northeasterly direction to a point of tangent;

Thence running northerly 141.55 feet;

Thence running westerly by several courses 471.13 feet;

Thence running northwesterly 312.52 feet to the southeasterly sideline of Eliot Street;

Thence running northeasterly about 475 feet by the southeasterly sideline of Eliot Street to the point of beginning;

Containing about 4.95 acres and including the 40 foot passage to Columbine Road.

Voted: That the Town vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of the following described parcel of real estate to the Park Department for playground purposes.

Beginning at a point 99.13 feet southwesterly from the point of curve at the southwesterly corner of Waldo Road at Eliot Street;

Thence running southeasterly 592.69 feet;

Thence running westerly 111 feet;

Thence running southerly 177.82 feet to a stone monument on the northerly sideline of Columbine Road;

Thence running westerly 62.58 feet to a point of curve;

Thence turning and running 33.44 feet by a radius of 20 feet in a general northeasterly direction to a point of tangent;

Thence running westerly by several courses 471.13 feet;

Thence running northwesterly 312.52 feet to the southeasterly sideline of Eliot Street;

Thence running northeasterly about 475 feet by the southeasterly sideline of Eliot Street to the point of beginning;

Containing about 4.95 acres and including the 40 foot passage to Columbine Road.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to study the uses that can be made of the Vose School property and the Glover School property when the same are no longer needed for school purposes, said committee to report to the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1953, and also to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and to appropriate money for the expenses of said committee and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to study the uses that can be made of the Vose School property and the Glover

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School property when the same are no longer needed for school purposes, said committee to report to the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1953, and also to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and that the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

COMMITTEE

MELVIN E. DOLAN, 198 Canton Ave.

ROLAND S. FULTON, 6 Francis St.

WARREN A. STEBBINS, 37 Lantern Lane

Mr. Dolan is to call the committee together for organization.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey for the minimum sum of \$3,000.00 a parcel of land bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point at the southwesterly intersection of Atherton Street and Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence running southwesterly 293 feet by the westerly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence running northwesterly 200 feet by land of Robert W. and Annie M. Moody;

Thence running northeasterly by two courses, 232 feet to the southerly sideline of Atherton Street;

Thence running easterly by the southerly sideline of Atherton Street 121 feet to the point of beginning;

Containing approximately 0.86 acre.

Said parcel having been acquired by the Town for school purposes and being no longer required for said purposes, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer, and convey all right, title, and interest of the Town in and to a parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the southwesterly intersection of Atherton Street and Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence running southwesterly 293 feet by the westerly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence running northwesterly 200 feet by land of Robert W. and Annie M. Moody;

Thence running northeasterly by two courses, 232 feet to the southerly sideline of Atherton Street;

Thence running easterly by the southerly sideline of Atherton Street 121 feet to the point of beginning;

Containing approximately 0.86 acre.

for the sum of not less than \$3,000.00 and to execute and deliver all necessary instruments in connection therewith.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 43. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in part by bond issue and in part from the tax levy of the current year for the erection on land owned by the Town of a covered passageway approximately

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170 feet long between the Collicot School and the Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School; and further to see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to employ the services of an architect, to advertise and secure bids, to let a contract or contracts, and to supervise the erection of said covered passageway all in the name and behalf of the Town and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to purchase or take by eminent domain under General Laws, Chapter 79 for school purposes the parcel of land in the vicinity of Canton Avenue, north of Atherton Street, believed to belong to Rose A. M. Henderson bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue 530.5 feet from the northeasterly sideline of Atherton Street;

Thence running northwesterly 560.3 feet;

Thence running northeasterly 536 feet;

Thence running southeasterly 560.3 feet to the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue;

Thence running southwesterly 541 feet by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue to the point of beginning;

Containing about 6.9 acres.

and to authorize the School Committee to exercise in connection with said parcel of land all usual and necessary powers and to raise and appropriate money to acquire the same and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

(6:00 P.M. Voted to adjourn until 1:30 P.M. Saturday, March 21, 1953)

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 21, 1953

The Meeting was called to order at 1:30 P.M. by the Moderator, Benjamin F. Jaques. Articles 43 and 44 were recommended but defeated.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners in the name and behalf of the Town to purchase or take by eminent domain under General Laws, Chapter 79 for playground purposes the parcel of land in the vicinity of Blue Hill Avenue and north of Atherton Street believed to belong to Rose A. M. Henderson bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point 638 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly intersection of Atherton Street and Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence continuing 613 feet by the northeasterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue;

Thence running southeasterly 699.7 feet;

Thence running southwesterly 536 feet;

Thence running northwesterly 415.7 feet to the northeasterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue to the point of beginning;

Containing about 6.9 acres.

and to authorize said Board of Park Commissioners to exercise in connection with

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said parcel of land powers conferred by General Laws, Chapter 45, Section 14 and to raise and appropriate money to acquire the same and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 46. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the general use of the Board of Park Commissioners the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$22,298.28 be appropriated of which \$12,769.28 is for salaries and wages; \$3,000.00 is for development of the Andrews Playground; \$2,000.00 is for development of the Mary Chase Lane Memorial Playground; and \$1,090.00 is for new equipment; and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey for the minimum sum of \$6,000.00, a parcel of land bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue 235.05 feet northeasterly from a stone monument marking the northeasterly point of curve at Dollar Lane;

Thence continuing northeasterly 181.2 feet;

Thence running southeasterly by two courses, 521 feet, to a stone monument on the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue;

Thence running southwesterly 1.83 feet by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue to a stone monument marking the beginning of a curve with a radius of 800 feet;

Thence continuing southwesterly by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue 194.72 feet by a radius of 800 feet to a stone monument marking the end of curve;

Thence continuing in the same southwesterly direction by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue 53.35 feet;

Thence running northwesterly by two courses, 451.33 feet, to the point of beginning;

Containing about 2.48 acres.

said parcel having been acquired by the Town for playground purposes and being no longer required for said purposes, and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer and convey all the right, title, and interest of the Town in and to a parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue 235.05 feet northeasterly from a stone monument marking the northeasterly point of curve at Dollar Lane;

Thence continuing northeasterly 181.2 feet;

Thence running southeasterly by two courses, 521 feet, to a stone monument on the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue;

Thence running southwesterly 1.83 feet by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue to a stone monument marking the beginning of a curve with a radius of 800 feet;

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Thence continuing southwesterly by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue 194.72 feet by a radius of 800 feet to a stone monument marking the end of curve;

Thence continuing in the same southwesterly direction by the northwesterly sideline of Canton Avenue 53.35 feet;

Thence running northwesterly by two courses, 451.33 feet, to the point of beginning;

Containing about 2.48 acres.

for the sum of *not less* than \$7,000.00 and to execute and deliver all necessary instruments in connection therewith.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town having to do with zoning so as to change the Zoning Map (which by the provisions of Section IIA is declared a part of this Bylaw) so that the area described substantially as set forth below shall be changed from Residence C District to Business District:

A Certain Parcel of land situated on Adams Street and Granite Avenue in that part of Milton known as East Milton and bounded as follows:

Southwesterly by Adams Street, 162.64 feet;

Northwesterly by land of Sheldon, 86.12 feet;

Southwesterly by said Sheldon land 158.04 feet;

Northwesterly by land of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, 53.73 feet;

Northeasterly by Granite Avenue, 335.07 feet.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town having to do with zoning so as to change the Zoning Map (which by the provisions of Section IIA is declared a part of this Bylaw) so that the area described substantially as set forth below shall be changed from Residence C District to Business District:

Beginning at the westerly corner of Libby Road on the northerly side of Adams Street;

Thence running 44.42 feet westerly;

Thence continuing westerly on the northerly sideline of Adams Street 167.38 feet to a point of curve;

Thence continuing northeasterly 58.36 feet by a radius of 36.78 feet forming the easterly junction of Adams Street at Squantum Street;

Thence northerly by the easterly side of Squantum Street 101.82 feet;

Thence running easterly 95.47 feet by land of Katherine C. Lloyd;

Thence running northerly 89.67 feet by land of Lloyd and Michelson;

Thence running easterly 155.92 feet by land of Michelson and Woodward's Garage, Inc. to the westerly sideline of Libby Road;

Thence running southerly by the westerly sideline of Libby Road 284.83 feet, to the point of beginning.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

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ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town having to do with zoning so as to change the Zoning Map (which by the provisions of Section IIA is declared a part of this Bylaw) so that the area described substantially as set forth below shall be changed from Residence C District to Business District:

Beginning at a point on the northerly sideline of Eliot Street, where the present district boundaries are divided by Residence C District and Business District, 263.9 feet west of Central Avenue;

Thence running westerly 60 feet by the northerly sideline of Eliot Street;

Thence running northerly 124.4 feet by land of Smith to land of the Metropolitan Transit Authority;

Thence running easterly by the southerly sideline of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, right of way, 60.17 feet to land of O'Neill;

Thence running southerly by land of O'Neill and the present division between Residence C District and Business District 128.87 feet to the northerly sideline of Eliot Street and point of beginning.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town (having to do with zoning) by amending Section VI, A, 4, of said Chapter 10 by adding at the end of said Subsection 4 the following provision:

In case of a lot fronting on a street and having less frontage on the street than is required in this section, but having a back line or side line, which if designated as the front line of the lot would meet the requirements of this section relating to frontage, if the enforcement of the provisions of this section relating to street frontage would entail practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship, the owner of such a lot may apply to the Board of Appeals for relief, and the Board of Appeals may designate such back line or side line as the front line of the lot, provided, however, that the Board of Appeals, in granting such relief, may impose appropriate conditions and safeguards in harmony with the general purpose and interest of this Bylaw, and no relief shall be granted which involves substantial detriment to the public good or substantial derogation to the intent and purpose of this Bylaw.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town (having to do with zoning) by amending Section VI, D, 2 of said Chapter 10 by adding at the end of said Subsection 2 the following clause:

and no other building shall be erected or maintained within 12 feet of a rear lot line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such rear lot line be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the rear lot line.

Voted: That the Town vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General Bylaws of the Town by amending Section VI, D, 2 of said Chapter 10 by adding at the end of said Subsection 2 the following clause:

"and no other building shall be erected or maintained within 12 feet of a

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rear lot line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such rear lot line be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the rear lot line."

(Unanimous Vote)

Boston, Mass., June 1, 1953

THE FOREGOING AMENDMENT TO BYLAWS IS HEREBY APPROVED.

GEORGE FINGOLD, Attorney General

ARTICLE 53. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Public Welfare Department the present year.

Voted: That the total sum of \$159,275.49 be appropriated of which not more than \$19,033.49 is for salaries and wages and \$50.00 is for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information in which the Town may be interested or which may tend to improve the services of the Department; said appropriation to include:

General Relief	\$ 8,000.00
Old Age Assistance.....	116,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children.....	13,000.00
Disability Assistance	11,000.00
Other Administration Costs.....	2,030.00

ARTICLE 54. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for interest and Maturing Debt the present year:

1. Interest

2. Maturing Debt

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Interest \$25,105.00

2. Maturing Debt... \$177,000.00

ARTICLE 55. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds on hand January 1, 1953.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$280,000.00 from available funds on hand January 1, 1953 for the purpose of deduction by the assessors from the amount required to be assessed in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 32 as amended.

ARTICLE 56. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for 1953 cost of Living Adjustment of salaries and wages payable to officers and regular employees of the Town in addition to amounts otherwise appropriated for the several officers, employees and departments of the Town and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not so vote.

ARTICLE 57. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the purpose of leasing suitable headquarters for the following Veterans' Organizations:

1. Milton Post No. 2178, Veterans of Foreign Wars

2. George P. Bertram, Jr. Chapter No. 104 of the Disabled American Veterans

and to act on anything relating thereto.

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Voted: That the following sums for the purpose of leasing suitable headquarters be appropriated:

1. Milton Post #2178, Veterans of Foreign Wars..... \$375.00
2. George P. Bertram, Jr. Chapter #104, Dis. Am. Veterans.. \$360.00

ARTICLE 58. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the observance of Memorial Day, 1953.

Voted: That the sum of \$700.00 be appropriated for the observance of Memorial Day, 1953.

ARTICLE 59. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1953.

Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1953.

ARTICLE 60. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the observance of Armistice Day, 1953.

Voted: That the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the observance of Armistice Day, 1953.

ARTICLE 61. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for Civil Defense for the current year and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$2,089.00 be appropriated for Civil Defense for the current year.

ARTICLE 62. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures the current year and to apply from overlay reserve such amount as the Town shall determine to meet in whole or in part such appropriation and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$24,776.62 be transferred from the Overlay Reserve accumulated as of December 31, 1952, and the balance of \$5,223.38 be raised in the tax levy.

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 3 of the General Bylaws of the Town by striking out Section 1A.

Voted: To amend Chapter 3 of the General Bylaws of the Town by striking out Section 1A.

(Unanimous Vote)

THE FOREGOING AMENDMENT TO BYLAWS IS HEREBY APPROVED
June 1, 1953

GEORGE FINGOLD, Attorney General

And you are directed to warn said inhabitants qualified as aforesaid to meet at the times and places and for the purposes herein mentioned, by posting attested copies of this Warrant in each of the Post Offices of said Town seven days at least before said seventh of March, and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses of said Town at least four days before said date.

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Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before said seventh day of March, next.

Given under our hands at Milton the twelfth day of February, Nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

SAMUEL G. CRAIG
CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.
DANIEL E. DUGGAN
Selectmen of Milton

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

March 2, 1953

Pursuant to the within Warrant, I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milton as within directed to meet at the times and places and for the purposes therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the same in the post offices of the Town and leaving attested copies at the dwellings of the inhabitants.

JOHN B. SHIELDS,
Constable of Milton

March 21, 1953. 2:35 P.M. Voted: That the meeting be dissolved.

The foregoing meeting was opened Saturday, March 7, 1953 at 8:00 A.M. by the Wardens in the several precincts.

G. FRANK KEMP.
Town Clerk

In accordance with the Bylaws, the Moderator appoints Mr. Edward C. Johnson, 2nd, 1196 Canton Avenue, to succeed himself for a term of three years as a member of the Board of Appeals.

May 18, 1953

Acting under the Bylaws of the Town, the Moderator appoints the following Warrant Committee for the current year:

MR. EDWARD E. BIGELOW, 18 Cheever Street
MRS. RAYMOND D. ADAMS, 320 Adams Street
MR. JOHN L. BREMER, 242 Canton Avenue
MR. FRANCIS F. BROOKS, 134 Adams Street
MRS. GORHAM CLUETT, 267 Hillside Street
MR. SPENCER FIELD, 348 Centre Street
MR. EDWARD J. FINERTY, 45 Wood Street
MR. ALFRED A. GIOIOSA, 589 Adams Street
MR. JAMES T. DUNPHY, 402 Blue Hills Pkway
MR. DAVID W. KELLEY, 29 Columbine Road
MR. LOUIS J. MATHIEU, 25 Chesterfield Road
MR. WM. W. McDONALD, 4 Francis Street
MR. HERBERT A. MILLER, 365 Pleasant Street
MR. CHARLES T. SEXTON, 66 Wendell Park
MR. SAMUEL H. WOLCOTT, JR., 1726 Canton Avenue

Mr. Bigelow is requested to call the committee together for organization.

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RECORD OF ATTENDANCE OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

The following were present:

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		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		14	21
BIGELOW, EDWARD E.....	18 Cheever St.....	x	x
BURNETT, WILLIAM C.....	250 Blue Hill Ave.....	x	x
CARROLL, FORREST W.....	47 Blue Hill Terr.....	x	x
COLE, MURRAY D.....	23 Craig St.....	x	x
COLLINS, DESMOND M.....	125 Blue Hills Pkway.....	x	x
COOLEY, MADELINE E.....	13 Tucker St.....	x	x
CULLEN, THOMAS A.....	19 Belvoir Rd.....	x	x
CURRAN, JOHN P.....	61 Robbins St.....	x	x
DALCO, JOHN I.....	82 Cheever St.....	x	x
DENNIS, WALTER A., Jr.....	70 Blue Hill Ave.....	x	
ERICKSON, ERNEST E.....	5 Verndale Rd.....	x	x
FABIAN, MARGARET H.....	40 Blue Hill Terr.....	x	x
GOUDEY, FRANK W.....	36 Aberdeen Rd.....	x	x
GRANT, JOHN L.....	128 Blue Hill Ave.....	x	x
HALLIDAY, HAROLD S.....	82 Blue Hill Ave.....	x	x
HARVEY, MATTHEW J.....	196 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	x
HEFLER, GERARDINE M.....	79 Smith Rd.....	x	x
HOWES, ROBERT W.....	31 Cheever St.....		x
JOHNSON, PAUL R.....	46 Hudson St.....	x	x
KNIGHT, PAUL W.....	14 Belvoir Rd.....	x	x
KRIM, FRED N.....	96 Brook Rd.....	x	x
MALONEY, JAMES J., Sr.....	198 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	x
MANNING, PHILIP V.....	967 Canton Ave.....	x	
McNAUGHTON, PAUL R.....	271 Blue Hills Pkway.....	x	x
McTAGGART, BERNARD E.....	53 Churchill St.....	x	x
MOHR, JOSEPH L.....	62 Ferncroft Rd.....	x	
MURPHY, WILLIAM M.....	97 Decker St.....	x	x
MYERS, EVERETT C.....	7 Pagoda St.....	x	x
PEVERLY, RUSSELL E.....	137 Robbins St.....	x	x
PHILBRICK, FRANCIS J.....	92 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	
SMITH, CHARLES H.....	39 Lothrop Ave.....	x	x
THOMSON, ROBERT M.....	40 Concord Ave.....	x	x
STRONGE, ROGER W.....	120 Smith Rd.....	x	
TREAT, GEORGE A.....	67 Concord Ave.....	x	
TUTTLE, BERTHA E.....	10 Cheever St.....	x	x
WHITTIER, CLYDE L.....	24 Blue Hill Ave.....	x	x
WILL, WILLIAM A.....	17 Brook Rd.....		x
WILLIAMS, PRESTON R.....	62 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	
WOODS, JOHN O.....	45 Concord Ave.....	x	x

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ADAMS, FRED A.....	24 Willoughby Rd.....	x	x
AMES, KNIGHT.....	241 Canton Ave.....	x	x
BLACKBURN, ARTHUR R.....	470 Eliot St.....	x	x
COWPERTHWAITTE, IRVING A.....	10 Willoughby Rd.....	x	x
CROSBY, WILLIAM B.....	30 Hinckley Rd.....	x	x
CYPHERS, JAMES F.....	75 Hinckley Rd.....	x	

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		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		14	21
DONNELL, ALFRED J.....	46 Dyer Ave.....	x	x
DRAPER, COPELAND M.....	244 Hinckley Rd.....	x	x
FITZGERALD, JOHN F., Jr.....	38 Windsor Rd.....	x	
GALLAGHER, THOMAS J.....	431 Eliot St.....	x	x
HAIN, ANDREW.....	24 Hinckley Rd.....	x	x
HARRINGTON, BYRNE	570 Eliot St.....	x	x
HILL, GLADYS L.....	15 Fairfax Rd.....	x	x
HURD, G. NEWELL.....	8 Ruggles Lane.....	x	x
KEITH, OSCAR B.....	52 Hawthorn Rd.....	x	x
KEMP, G. FRANK.....	348 Central Ave.....	x	x
KIMBALL, MARY LEE EVANS.....	137 Hinckley Rd.....	x	x
MacGAREGILL, STANLEY	17 Brook Rd.....	x	
MAHONEY, JOSEPH C.....	9 Columbine Rd.....	x	x
McLAUGHLIN, JAMES E.....	43 Briarfield Rd.....	x	x
NEWCOMB, CHARLES F.....	34 Willoughby Rd.....	x	x
O'CALLAGHAN, FRANK J., Jr.....	11 Fairfax Rd.....	x	x
O'NEILL, EDWARD T.....	91 Allerton Rd.....	x	x
O'NEILL, JAMES J.....	18 West St.....	x	x
PATTERSON, HOWARD S.....	42 Norway Rd.....	x	
TURNER, EVERETT L.....	34 Cliff Rd.....	x	x
WOOD, ROBERT D.....	8 Kahler Ave.....	x	x
YOUNG, CHARLES A., II	217 Hinckley Rd.....	x	x

PRECINCT 3

BAKER, EDWIN O.....	104 Canton Ave.....	x	x
BATCHELDER, CHARLES F., jr.....	71 Valley Rd.....	x	x
BENNETT, SAMUEL C.....	36 Westside Rd.....	x	
BREMER, CLIFTON L.....	100 Valley Rd.....	x	x
BROOKS, FRANCIS F.....	134 Adams St.....	x	x
BRYANT, LINCOLN	149 Randolph Ave.....	x	x
BURGIN, C. RODGERS.....	138 Central Ave.....	x	x
BYERS, RANDOLPH K.....	277 Adams St.....	x	x
CANON, GEORGE A., Jr.....	11 Capen St.....	x	x
CROCKER, SETH C.....	184 School St.....	x	
CRUCKSHANK, BLAKE G.....	31 Waldo Rd.....	x	x
DARLING, NEWTON P.....	23 Russell St.....	x	x
DUDLEY, PAUL F.....	185 School St.....	x	x
ESHLEMAN, FRANK M.....	84 Columbine Rd.....	x	x
FARNHAM, WILLIAM H.....	33 Russell St.....	x	x
FREDERICK, FRANK B.....	45 Morton Rd.....	x	x
GATES, CHARLES I.....	43 Valley Rd.....	x	x
HADLOCK, RUSSELL S.....	115 Canton Ave.....	x	x
HAUSSERMANN, OSCAR W.....	42 Dudley Lane.....	x	x
HOWLAND, ALICE F.....	144 Randolph Ave.....	x	x
HURD, ROY H.....	155 Eliot St.....	x	x
ILSLEY, JOHN P.....	26 Columbine Rd.....	x	x
JENKINS, EVERETT H.....	60 Columbine Rd.....	x	x
KING, HERVEY W.....	120 Central Ave.....	x	x
LUTHER, C. FISHER.....	5 Morton Rd.....	x	x
MARDEN, S. FRANCES.....	66 Morton Rd.....	x	x
MORRIS, SARAH G.....	179 School St.....	x	

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		Town Meetings Held	
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		14	21
MURDOCK, WARREN J.....	16 Allen Circle.....	x	x
PALMER, HENRY W.....	23 Canton Ave.....	x	x
RICHMOND, CARLETON R.....	273 Adams St.....	x	
ROGERSON, JOHN E.....	114 Canton Ave.....	x	x
SWIFT, H. M. STEEL.....	64 Canton Ave.....	x	x
TRUMBULL, JAMES C.....	76 Canton Ave.....	x	x
WATSON, HENRY R., Jr.....	29 Canton Ave.....	x	x
WATSON, PAUL B., Jr.....	210 Randolph Ave.....	x	x

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ANDERSON, ROGER B.....	38 Magnolia Rd.....	x	x
BAKER, NEWTON S.....	54 Fairbanks Rd.....	x	x
BALLARD, JAMES F.....	17 Dyer Ave.....	x	x
CAMPBELL, GEORGE L.....	37 Wendell Park.....	x	
CAMPBELL, WILLIAM M.....	29 Lincoln St.....	x	x
CAPPERS, MURRAY A.....	36 Wendell Park.....	x	x
CARLSON, HARRY E.....	84 Audubon Rd.....	x	x
CONNOLLY, JOSEPH.....	372 Blue Hills Pkway.....	x	x
CREEDON, JOHN F.....	190 Thacher St.....	x	
CROSBY, GILBERT S.....	116 Dyer Ave.....	x	
FARRELL, EDWARD J.....	96 Warren Ave.....	x	x
FARRINGTON, WILLIAM F.....	112 Dyer Ave.....	x	x
FASCH, CLIFTON L.....	6 Taylor Rd.....	x	x
GARLAND, HAROLD B.....	129 Houston Ave.....	x	x
GIBBONS, THOMAS E.....	61 Warren Ave.....	x	x
HIBBARD, CHARLES L., Jr.....	49 Walnut St.....	x	x
HINEY, FRANCIS J., Jr.....	37 Bonad Rd.....	x	x
KEDDY, JAMES P.....	39 Winthrop St.....		x
KING, ARTHUR E.....	104 Elm St.....	x	x
MANNING, WILLIAM P.....	133 Tulliver St.....	x	x
MARCY, RALPH W.....	86 Wendell Park.....	x	x
MARSHALL, ERNESTINE M.....	85 Houston Ave.....	x	x
MATHEWSON, STEPHEN G.....	47 Warren Ave.....	x	x
McGEE, EDNA L.....	2 Bonad Rd.....	x	x
McGEE, JAMES J.....	2 Bonad Rd.....	x	x
McPEAKE, PAUL V.....	60 Fairbanks Rd.....	x	
MELVIN, HAROLD W.....	44 Houston Ave.....	x	x
MULLEN, WILLIAM W.....	180 Thacher St.....	x	x
NAZARO, C. JOHN.....	456 Central Ave.....	x	x
NORIS, JEREMIAH J.....	101 Clapp St.....	x	x
PETERSON, WALTER F.....	60 Walnut St.....	x	x
POW, FREDERICK C.....	26 Meagher Ave.....	x	x
REID, HELEN J.....	33 Harold St.....	x	
THOMPSON, CHARLES M., Jr.....	368 Blue Hills Pkway.....	x	
WHITE, JOHN J.....	19 Revere St.....	x	

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ABELL, HOWARD.....	143 Centre St.....	x	x
ALEXANDER, BENJAMIN R.....	143 Woodland Rd.....	x	x
AMES, GEORGE H.....	159 Hillside St.....	x	

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		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		14	21
AYER, JAMES B.....	1350 Canton Ave.....	x	x
BARTON, RICHARD M.....	202 Churchills Lane.....	x	
BATTING, KENNETH E.....	316 Randolph Ave.....	x	x
CALDERWOOD, CHRISTINE T.....	270 Hillside St.....	x	x
CAMPBELL, JAMES F.....	308 Hillside St.....	x	x
CAMPBELL, MALCOLM D.....	214 Highland St.....	x	x
CLUETT, ELEANOR L.....	267 Hillside St.....	x	x
CRAIG, CHARLES E.....	25 Mathaurs St.....	x	x
CRONIN, GEORGE J.....	19 Lantern Lane.....	x	x
CRONIN, JOSEPH M.....	30 Thompson Lane.....	x	x
DEVENS, CHARLES.....	703 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	
CURLEY, JOHN M.....	85 Meredith Circle.....		x
DYSON, EDWARD.....	1122 Canton Ave.....	x	x
EDWARDS, TERESA P.....	202 Reedsdale Rd.....	x	x
FOLSOM, OWEN E.....	31 Frothingham St.....	x	x
FORBES, HILDEGARDE B.....	71 Forest St.....	x	x
GRABFIELD, G. PHILIP.....	27 Forest St.....	x	x
HAINES, CRAIG B.....	6 Lantern Lane.....	x	x
HAMILTON, EDWARD P.....	145 Dudley Lane.....	x	x
HERMANCE, NELSON F.....	592 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	
JACKSON, DONALD M.....	164 Pleasant St.....	x	x
JAQUES, BENJAMIN F.....	246 Highland St.....	x	x
JOHNSON, EDWARD C., 2nd.....	1196 Canton Ave.....	x	
LELAND, JOSEPH D.....	823 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	x
LUNT, IRVING G.....	12 Coolidge Rd.....	x	x
MACDONALD, SYLVIA L.....	1466 Canton Ave.....	x	x
MARSHALL, FRED Y.....	30 Hillsvievw Rd.....	x	x
MARTIN, ROGER H.....	1238 Canton Ave.....	x	x
MEREDITH, IRVING.....	67 Martin Rd.....	x	
MURRAY, A. RUTH.....	12 Spafford Rd.....	x	x
PERRY, RICHARD.....	303 Hillside St.....	x	x
PIERCE, LINCOLN W.....	48 Centre St.....	x	x
PORTER, EARLE F.....	21 Mingo St.....	x	x
RANDLETT, A. DOUGLASS.....	26 Thompson Lane.....	x	x
ROBBINS, WALTER S.....	135 Milton St.....	x	x
SAWYER, EDWARD L.....	1580 Canton Ave.....	x	x
SCHMIDT, RICHARD H.....	25 Spafford Rd.....	x	x
SCOTT, DAVID T.....	41 Meredith Circle.....	x	
SHELDON, JOHN E.....	1253 Canton Ave.....	x	x
SWIFT, ROBERT W., Jr.....	704 Brush Hill Rd.....	x	x
SWIFT, RUSSELL.....	435 Highland St.....	x	x
THURBER, JAMES PERRY.....	640 Harland St.....	x	x
WEBB, PARKER.....	36 Spafford Rd.....	x	x
WENDELL, EDWARD E.....	1384 Canton Ave.....	x	x
WHITESIDE, HOWARD S.....	93 Hillside St.....	x	x
WITHINGTON, PAUL H.....	350 Randolph Ave.....	x	x
WOLCOTT, ROGER.....	1733 Canton Ave.....	x	x
WOLCOTT, SAMUEL H., Jr.....	1726 Canton Ave.....	x	x

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ARMITAGE, G. NELSON.....	115 Otis St.....	x	x
BATES, FRANCIS C.....	453 Adams St.....	x	x

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		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		14	21
BAXTER, JESSE B.	175 Edge Hill Rd.	x	x
BELL, TILTON S.	7 Webster Rd.	x	x
BENT, WILLIAM E.	31 McKinnon Ave.	x	x
BOWIE, ROBERT	42 Webster Rd.	x	x
CALDWELL, WILLIAM L.	16 Andrews Rd.	x	x
CAMERON, DONALD F.	80 Cary Ave.	x	x
CARUSO, ARTHUR T.	100 Plymouth Ave.	x	x
COLEMAN, HAROLD F.	111 Otis St.	x	x
COLLINS, CHARLES F.	205 Edge Hill Rd.	x	
CRAIG, SAMUEL G.	343 Pleasant St.	x	x
DUGGAN, MARY A.	15 St. Agatha Rd.	x	x
DUNLAP, WILLARD F.	584 Pleasant St.	x	x
GOOSTRAY, JOSEPH	1233 Brook Rd.	x	x
GUNNING, THOMAS S., Jr.	1093 Brook Rd.	x	
HAMMOND, CHRISTOPHER G.	21 Otis St.	x	x
HARRIS, LEROY S.	300 Edge Hill Rd.	x	x
HINDS, HARRIETTE F.	52 Hollis St.	x	x
HINDS, RAY A.	52 Hollis St.	x	x
HOXIE, WILLIAM C.	7 Westbourne St.	x	
KEYES, JOHN T.	5 Cary Ave.	x	x
LAKE, EDWARD P.	22 Glendale Rd.	x	x
LORD, NATHANIEL C.	401 Adams St.	x	x
MATHIEU, LOUIS J.	25 Chesterfield Rd.	x	x
McGONIGLE, JOHN J.	27 St. Agatha Rd.	x	x
MERSCH, HENRY E., Jr.	21 Waldeck Rd.	x	x
MILLER, HERBERT H.	365 Pleasant St.	x	x
MOULTON, GEORGE F.	95 Plymouth Ave.	x	x
MOULTON, ROY E.	53 Cary Ave.	x	x
MURPHY, WALTER J.	4 Augusta Rd.	x	x
OCHS, PAUL F.	47 Rowe St.		x
O'DONNELL, CHARLES H.	17 Webster Rd.	x	x
RANDLETT, FREDERICK J.	27 Braeburn Rd.	x	x
REDDY, JOHN J.	449 Pleasant St.	x	x
ROWE, CARLETON A.	454 Adams St.	x	
RUSSELL, JAMES G.	209 Edge Hill Rd.	x	x
RYAN, TIMOTHY G.	26 Hillcrest Rd.	x	x
SALZGEBER, GUSTAVE A.	63 Plymouth Ave.	x	x
SNYDER, FREDERICK D.	262 Edge Hill Rd.	x	
STOUT, FRANK A., Jr.	3 Hoy Terrace	x	x
WALTERS, FRANCES H.	55 Rowe St.	x	x

PRECINCT 7

ABEL, ALEXANDER J.	105 Washington St.	x	x
BALLARD, ANNA K.	38 Franklin St.	x	
BLAKE, ROBERT J., Jr.	66 Grafton Ave.	x	x
CARTER, FARQUHAR D.	31 Granite Place.	x	x
CHOATE, GEORGE F.	6 Martin Terrace	x	x
CLAPP, LEIGHTON A.	147 Church St.	x	x
COGHLAN, EDWARD M.	11 Bates Rd.	x	
COUGHLIN, ALICE J.	74 Court Circle	x	x
COUPER, SIDNEY M.	124 Wood St.	x	x
CURRIER, WALTER R.	51 Granite Place.	x	x

MARCH MEETING

		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		14	21
DUFFY, CHARLES F.....	35 Granite Place.....	x	
DUGGAN, DANIEL E.....	3 Martin Terrace.....	x	x
DUGGAN, DANIEL E., Jr.....	4 Pierce St.....		x
ESAU, WILLIAM S.....	93 Bryant Ave.....		x
FANNING, BRENDAN E.....	31 State St.....	x	x
FINERTY, EDWARD J.....	45 Wood St.....	x	x
FOSTER, ROBERT E.....	18 Pierce St.....	x	x
FUSONI, JOSEPH A.....	60 Pierce St.....	x	x
GIOIOSA, ALFRED A.....	589 Adams St.....	x	x
HODGES, EDWARD T. Q.....	39 Church St.....	x	x
HOLLIDGE, DAVID E.....	96 Granite Place.....	x	x
HOXIE, CHARLES B.....	61 Washington St.....	x	
KEENAN, BARRY	32 Pine Grove St.....	x	
LAMERE, ROBERT K.....	549 Adams St.....	x	x
LORDEN, EUGENE H., Jr.....	170 Church St.....	x	x
LYONS, JOHN P.....	16 Antwerp St.....	x	x
MANNING, M. JOSEPH.....	583 Adams St.....	x	x
MANNING, M. JOSEPH, Jr.....	583 Adams St.....	x	x
MARSHALL, MAURICE B.....	110 Washington St.....	x	x
McCORMACK, SAMUEL F.....	25 Sheldon St.....	x	
MORISSETTE, GEORGE E.....	34 Grafton Ave.....	x	x
PAOLUCCI, VIRGINIUS	18 Pilgrim Rd.....	x	
ROEMER, HARRY E.....	24 Church St.....	x	x
SHEPPARD, P. BRADFORD.....	37 Wood St.....	x	x
STAVREDES, CHARLES J.....	11 Pilgrim Rd.....	x	
WATSON, DUNCAN A.....	38 Pierce St.....		x
WHITE, JOHN F.....	644 Adams St.....	x	x
WHITE, MICHAEL J.....	74 Church St.....	x	
WOOD, ALBERT	290 Granite Ave.....	x	x
WOOD, HORACE	141 Church St.....	x	x

The following Town Meeting Members were absent at both meetings:

PRECINCT 1

COLLINS, GEORGE W.....	3 Brook Rd.
CROSBY, WILLIAM H.....	376 Brush Hill Rd.
DALY, THOMAS E.....	15 Lothrop Ave.
PRIESTLEY, JOHN W.....	43 Brook Rd.
WATSON, GUSSIE H.....	66 Brush Hill Rd.

PRECINCT 2

CURLEY, GEORGE T.....	510 Eliot St.
DOWLING, ELIZABETH L.....	433 Eliot St.
DRAPER, MILDRED H.....	224 Hinckley Rd.
EASTMAN, FRANK H.....	545 Eliot St.
GLYNN, THOMAS L., Jr.....	3 Crane Rd.

PRECINCT 3

EVANS, DWIGHT D., Jr.....	50 Canton Ave.
PATTON, LEONARD M.....	26 Valley Rd.

MARCH MEETING

PRECINCT 5

CROSKERY, FRANCES L.....261 Reedsdale Rd.
FITZGERALD, JAMES F.....1147 Canton Ave.
JENSEN, JOHN W.....874 Brush Hill Rd.

PRECINCT 6

BABCOCK, JOSIAH.....232 Edge Hill Rd.
COLBY, HAROLD L.....71 Waldeck Rd.
FARRELL, JOSEPH A.....369 Pleasant St.
HARKINS, FRANCIS J.....21 Chesterfield Rd.
PIERCE, RUTH E.....297 Adams St.

PRECINCT 7

BUSH, HERBERT L.....107 Church St.
CONLY, WALTER W.....39 Howe St.
RAPP, EDWARD S.....72 Howe St.

OCTOBER SPECIAL PRIMARY



1953

WARRANT

OCTOBER SPECIAL PRIMARIES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

To any of the Constables of the Town of Milton in said County,
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Milton qualified to vote in Primaries to meet at the several designated polling places in their respective Precincts in said Milton, to wit:

- In Precinct 1. Tucker School Hall, Blue Hills Parkway
- In Precinct 2. Basement, Kidder Branch, Milton Public Library, Blue Hills Parkway
- In Precinct 3. Police Station, Central Avenue
- In Precinct 4. Girls' Gymnasium, Senior High School, Central Avenue
- In Precinct 5. Town Hall, Canton Avenue
- In Precinct 6. Basement, East Milton Branch Library, Edge Hill Road
- In Precinct 7. Belcher School, Church Street

on Tuesday, the Thirteenth Day of October, 1953 at 12 o'clock Noon, for the following purpose:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following office:

ONE REPRESENTATIVE in GENERAL COURT (to fill vacancy) for the Fourth Norfolk Representative District.

The polls will be open from 12 o'clock Noon to 8 o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the post offices of said Town seven days at least before said meeting and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses of said Town at least four days before said meeting.

OCTOBER SPECIAL PRIMARY

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Milton this Seventeenth day of September, Nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

SAMUEL G. CRAIG

CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.

DANIEL E. DUGGAN

Selectmen of Milton

OCTOBER SPECIAL PRIMARY

RESULT OF THE SPECIAL PRIMARY — October 13, 1953

DEMOCRAT	PRECINCT							Totals
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Daniel E. Duggan, Jr.....	37	13	21	16	23	83	115	308
Jos. P. Sylvester, Jr.....	8	3	2	1	4	23	4	45
Blanks	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	6

Total of 359 Democrat Votes cast.

REPUBLICAN	PRECINCT							Totals
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Harry L. Anderson.....	61	21	12	19	26	16	18	173
Ralph W. Cartwright, Jr.....	114	82	195	69	250	172	131	1013
John W. Grundy, Jr.....	25	42	42	35	95	36	32	307
Elliott K. Slade.....	52	14	14	27	9	41	25	182
Blanks	4	1	2	5	1	3	6	22

Total of 1697 Republican Votes cast.

Number of Voters.....	2186	1854	1476	1870	2675	2505	2020	14586
Total Vote Cast.....	302	176	289	172	410	374	333	2056

G. FRANK KEMP
Town Clerk

ELECTION OFFICERS

Precinct 1.

Roy W. Lincoln, Warden
Harold V. Burt, Dep. Warden
Carl H. Kullen, Clerk
Beresford M. Watson, Dep. Clerk

Royal C. Lincoln, Inspector
John J. Donovan, Inspector
William F. Walsh, Dep. Inspector
Joseph B. Mooney, Dep. Inspector

Precinct 2.

Walter H. Cavanaugh, Warden
Frank Delaney, Dep. Warden
Coleman J. Kennedy, Clerk

Theodore E. Parker, Inspector
Wm. J. Schwendemann, Dep. Inspector
Decran J. Gulesian, Dep. Inspector

Precinct 3.

T. Francis Fallon, Warden
Francis J. Ward, Dep. Warden
Leonard E. Littlefield, Clerk
Thomas J. Moore, Dep. Clerk

Herman F. Clark, Inspector
W. Russell Pierce, Inspector
Horace J. Lawrence, Dep. Inspector
James F. Henry, Dep. Inspector

OCTOBER SPECIAL PRIMARY

Precinct 4.

Charles E. Cross, Warden
Frank W. Cappers, Dep. Warden
Alfred W. Porter, Clerk

Robert J. Shaughnessy, Dep. Clerk
Benjamin B. B. Coleman, Inspector
Alfred V. Huntley, Jr., Inspector

Precinct 5.

Frederick W. Kurth, Warden
Stanley F. Snell, Dep. Warden
John J. Monahan, Clerk
John H. Houlahan, Dep. Clerk

Nathan L. Pond, Inspector
John P. Byrne, Dep. Inspector
Howard A. Smith, Dep. Inspector

Precinct 6.

Henry J. Quinn, Warden
John T. O'Leary, Clerk
Arthur E. Brackett, Dep. Clerk

Alfred J. Martin, Inspector
George F. Moulton, Dep. Inspector

Precinct 7.

George E. Johnson, Warden
Thomas W. McCormack, Clerk
Frank H. Foster, Jr., Inspector
Donald R. Ellis, Inspector

Arthur S. Forbes, Dep. Inspector
Frank J. Gannon, Dep. Inspector
Robert E. Foster, Dep. Clerk

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ELECTION



1953

WARRANT

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ELECTION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

To any of the Constables of the Town of Milton in said County:
GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Milton qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the several designated polling places in their respective precincts in said Milton, to wit:

In Precinct 1. Tucker School Hall, Blue Hills Parkway

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In Precinct 6. Basement, East Milton Branch Library, Edge Hill Road

In Precinct 7. Belcher School, Church Street

on Tuesday, the third day of November, 1953, at 12 o'clock Noon, then and there to bring in their ballots.

ONE REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT (to fill vacancy) FOR
THE FOURTH NORFOLK REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.

The polls will be open from 8 o'clock A.M. to 8 o'clock P.M.

And you are directed to warn said inhabitants qualified as aforesaid to meet at the time and places and for the purpose herein mentioned by posting attested copies of this Warrant in each of the post offices of the said Town seven days at least before said meeting and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses of said Town at least four days before said meeting.

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ELECTION

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant or a certified copy thereof with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be and before said meeting.

Given under our hands at Milton this Eighth day of October, Nineteen hundred and fifty-three.

SAMUEL G. CRAIG

CHARLES F. BITCHELDER, jr.

DANIEL E. DUGGAN

Selectmen of Milton

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

October 28, 1953

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milton as within directed to meet at the time and places and for the purpose therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the same in the post offices of the Town and leaving attested copies at the dwellings of the inhabitants.

JOHN B. SHIELDS,

Constable of Milton

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ELECTION

RESULT OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 3, 1953

	PRECINCT							Totals
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Ralph W. Cartwright, Jr.....	470	344	436	289	788	525	424	3276
Daniel E. Duggan, Jr.....	303	306	170	311	348	660	585	2683
Blanks	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	6
TOTAL VOTE CAST.....	774	650	607	601	1136	1187	1010	5965
TOTAL VOTING LIST.....	2181	1860	1478	1882	2692	2522	2055	14670

PRECINCT OFFICERS

Precinct 1

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 John H. Houlahan, Dep. Clerk

Nathan Pond, Inspector
 Alfred L. Mullen, Inspector
 John P. Byrne, Dep. Inspector
 Howard A. Smith, Dep. Inspector

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ELECTION

Precinct 6

Henry J. Quinn, Dep. Warden
Ralph E. DuMoulin, Dep. Inspector
John T. O'Leary, Clerk
Arthur E. Brackett, Dep. Clerk

Alfred J. Martin, Inspector
George F. Moulton, Dep. Inspector
Roland A. Bourdon, Dep. Inspector

Precinct 7

George E. Johnson, Warden
Robert E. Foster, Dep. Warden
Thomas W. McCormack, Clerk
Bradford H. Lewis, Clerk

Frank H. Foster, Jr., Inspector
Donald R. Ellis, Inspector
Arthur S. Forbes, Dep. Inspector
Frank J. Gannon, Dep. Inspector

G. FRANK KEMP
Town Clerk

TOWN OFFICERS SWORN

MILTON TOWN RECORDS IN THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 1953

Acceptance of Town Officers, 1953

Mar. 27 Frank B. Frederick, Town Counsel and Legislative Counsel
May 18 John B. Shields, Dog Officer
May 18 Ray A. Hinds, Member of Planning Board
May 29 Mrs. Roderick Stebbins, Agent of Peabody Fund

Sworn in Officers for 1953

Jan. 8 Fred E. Whelan, Forest Warden
Mar. 2 Edwin S. Warrell, Agent for Board of Health
9 Samuel G. Craig, Selectman
9 Robert Bowie, Assessor
9 John B. Shields, Constable
10 Paul W. Knight, Member School Committee
10 Edward C. Johnson, 2nd, Board of Public Welfare
10 Teresa P. Edwards, Member School Committee
11 Clyde L. Whittier, Town Treasurer
12 Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Selectman
12 Walter S. Robbins, Member Planning Board, three years
12 Walter Dennis, Constable
13 Martha M. Taber, Secretary to Board of Selectmen, Veterans' Agent, Burial Agent
13 M. Gertrude Reid, Assistant Secretary to Board of Selectmen
13 Roger P. Sangster, Superintendent Town Hall and Thacher Building
13 Alexander E. Manning, Town Engineer
13 John H. Bowie, Planning Board, five years
14 John B. Moore, Library Trustee
14 Benjamin F. Jaques, Moderator
14 G. Frank Kemp, Town Clerk and Town Collector
14 Daniel E. Duggan, Selectman
16 John T. Rockwood, Insurance Advisor, Agent of Industrial Accident Bd., and Representative to confer with N. E. Insurance Exchange
16 H. Dudley Churchill, Weigher of Coal
16 William J. Cashman, Constable
16 Marshall R. MacMillan, Inspector of Wires
18 George H. Ames, Moth Superintendent
19 John B. Shields, Keeper of the Lockup
23 Richard Schmidt, Fence Viewer
25 Dr. Robert H. Sewell, Inspector of Slaughtering
25 Malcolm W. Walker, Weigher of Coal
25 Joseph J. Dorack, Weigher of Coal
25 John J. Magner, Weigher of Coal
26 Dr. Ann Hefler, Inspector of Animals
27 James J. Maloney, Jr., Superintendent of Streets
30 John H. Burt, Building Inspector
Apr. 7 William P. Melley, Water Commissioner
10 Helena G. Troy, Art Commissione

TOWN OFFICERS SWORN

- June 25 Alexander W. Manning, Retirement Board Member
- July 3 Josephine McAteer, Town Accountant
- Aug. 14 Thomas J. Moore, Deputy Clerk, Precinct 3
 19 John T. O'Leary, Clerk, Precinct 6
 20 Thomas W. McCormack, Clerk, Precinct 7
 24 Thomas F. Murphy, Patrolman
 24 John Houlahan, Clerk, Precinct 5
 25 Roy W. Lincoln, Warden, Precinct 1
 27 Gerard R. Mattaliano, Patrolman
- Sept. 2 Walter Cavanaugh, Warden, Precinct 2
 3 Howard A. Smith, Deputy Inspector, Precinct 5
 8 Arthur E. Brackett, Deputy Clerk, Precinct 6
 9 Stanley F. Snell, Deputy Warden, Precinct 5
 15 Frank H. Foster, Jr., Inspector, Precinct 7
 21 John J. Bertram, Patrolman
 21 Vincent G. Mason, Patrolman
- Oct. 5 Oliver S. Sughrue, Board of Retirement member
 26 Robert E. Foster, Deputy Warden, Precinct 7
 31 Special Police for Halloween: Thomas Costello, Carl Payson, Irving Hutchinson, George Lobban, Thomas Irwin, W. Russell Pierce, Anthony Vitale, Thomas Lynes, Jr., Walter McDermott.
- Dec. 30 Enumerators for 1954 Street Listing: Agnes K. Howard, Mrs. Edward Coughlan, Mrs. Ira W. Paterson, Mrs. Lillian Kemp, Mrs. Beatrice W. Hodgkins, Alfred Martin, Mrs. Greta Earle, Mrs. Marie Shaughnessy, Mrs. George F. Geden, Mrs. Martha Cadigan, Mrs. Arther J. Burdick, Mrs. Joseph Farrington, Mrs. Betty Larrabee, Joseph Mooney, Mrs. Rose St. Pierre, Mrs. Ethel Cochey, Mrs. Mary Caulfield.

VITAL STATISTICS

Registry of Births, Marriages and Deaths in 1953

BIRTHS

The whole number of births registered in 1953 (returned by Physicians as By Law required) was 809 as follows:

Date	Name	Residence
Jan. 2	Michelle Ann MacDonald.....	Stoughton
4	Carol Anne Casey.....	Quincy
4	Robin Lee Titus.....	Milton
4	Donald Archie Cruickshanks.....	Milton
5	Maureen Charlotte Mahoney.....	Randolph
8	John Edward Maher.....	Braintree
8	Stephan Alexander Stanton.....	Boston
8	Kenneth Gerard Fortini.....	Quincy
9	Maura Soble	Milton
10	Gary Thomas Eckert.....	Milton
11	Ellen McLean	Weymouth
11	Stephen Thomas Morrison.....	Quincy
11	Virginia Mary Rogers.....	Quincy
11	John Steven Koehler.....	Milton
12	Chester Albert Gabriel.....	Boston
12	Mark William Dean.....	Braintree
12	Jeannette Hay Greeley.....	Milton
13	Marilyn Jean Douglass.....	Milton
13	Mark Steven Gillis.....	Quincy
13	Joseph Francis Pardue.....	Milton
13	John Joseph Devine.....	Milton
13	Paul Arthur Bardelli.....	Milton
15	Earl William Hamilton, Jr.....	Boston
16	William Edward Donovan.....	Quincy
16	Edward Russell Johnson.....	Quincy
16	Kenneth Leo Richardson.....	Boston
16	Kevin Michael Mahoney.....	Milton
19	John David Alexander Plaiace.....	Holbrook
19	Stephen Carl Blenkhorn.....	Milton
20	Stephen Donald White.....	Boston
21	Mary Rose Sullivan.....	Quincy
21	Paul Peter Trainor, Jr.....	Weymouth
21	Brendan Michael Burke.....	Milton
22	William Jordan Chapman.....	Quincy
22	Dean Weldon Geary, Jr.....	Milton
22	Pamela Elaine Grosse.....	Boston
22	William Edward Bryan, Jr.....	Milton
22	Adele Ladensack Pierce.....	Milton
24	Donald Francis O'Leary.....	Quincy
25	Christine Frances Snow.....	Milton
25	Richard Francis Dacey.....	Milton
25	Ronald Clifford Brown.....	Milton
26	William Francis Smith.....	Milton
27	Nancy Joan McLeod.....	Boston
27	Christine Marie Healey.....	Milton
28	Janet Marie Delaney.....	Boston

VITAL STATISTICS

	28	Paul Joseph Casey.....	Milton
	30	David Howland Gould.....	Braintree
	30	David McGillivray.....	Boston
	30	Robert Steven Fields.....	Hull
	30	Mary Elizabeth O'Toole.....	Boston
	30	William Tucker Donaghue.....	Boston
	31	Deanne Louise Dudash.....	Milton
	31	Stephen Francis Daly.....	Boston
	31	Richard Marshall Phillips.....	Quincy
	31	Eileen Marie Buckley.....	Milton
Feb.	1	James Brian Ott.....	Braintree
	1	Morgan Brewster Mann.....	Hingham
	1	Michelle Ann Yarosh.....	Boston
	3	Marc Frederic Hecht.....	Milton
	3	Richard Francis Tilley.....	Milton
	4	Jane Ellen Lonergan.....	Scituate
	4	William Andrew Mearn.....	Milton
	5	Mary Jane Kendrick.....	Boston
	5	Lorna Pamela Braverman.....	Milton
	6	Paula Marie Hanson.....	Quincy
	7	Deborah Catherine Nixon.....	Boston
	8	Robert John Norton.....	Milton
	8	James Quatromoni.....	Milton
	9	Robert James Olsson.....	Randolph
	9	Richard Ashton Bates.....	Weymouth
	9	Eliot Grant Taylor.....	Quincy
	9	Susan Blythe Thompson.....	Randolph
	10	Jeffrey Norman Wennberg.....	Quincy
	10	Maureen Frances Sullivan.....	Milton
	10	Robert Jeffrey Naumann.....	Quincy
	10	Valerie Ann Davis.....	Quincy
	10	Patricia Ann White.....	Milton
	12	Michael Alan Scherber.....	Milton
	12	Mary Elizabeth Croghan.....	Hanson
	12	Stephen Michael Duffy.....	Milton
	13	Jon Allen Lucas.....	Canton
	13	Arthur Lewis McGilvray, Jr.....	Quincy
	13	John Vincent Neely, Jr.....	Norwell
	13	Margaret Ann Teal.....	Milton
	13	James Dickran Whitney.....	Milton
	14	Thomas Michael Wall, Jr.....	Braintree
	15	Deborah Ann Travers.....	Boston
	15	Mark Adam Williamson.....	Weymouth
	15	John Howard Wieser.....	Belmont
	15	Jeffrey Robert Wieser.....	Belmont
	16	Jacqueline Lee Taylor.....	Quincy
	16	Daniel Joseph Sullivan, III.....	Quincy
	17	Charles Edward Keeler, 3rd.....	Milton
	18	Paula Jean Rota.....	Randolph
	18	Celine Mary Herne.....	Milton
	19	Ruth Adele Reddy.....	Cohasset
	19	George Haydock Hackett, Jr.....	Milton
	20	Stephen James Sheptyck, Jr.....	Milton
	20	Brian Francis Murphy.....	Quincy

VITAL STATISTICS

	21	Jill Howland	Stoughton
	21	Robert Adams Barry	Milton
	21	Cheryl Ann Ferretti	Milton
	22	John Peter Hansen, Jr.	Milton
	23	David Russell Hubbard, Jr.	Milton
	23	Donna Lee Nagle	Boston
	23	Susan Jane Pabst	Boston
	23	Dianne Marsha Starr	Milton
	23	Robin Ann Loiterstein	Milton
	24	Michael Glancy	Milton
	24	John Joseph McGrath	Boston
	24	Stuart Miller Crocker, II	Milton
	25	Roberta Scibetta	Randolph
	25	Sarah Bradley Fisher	Milton
	25	Gale Ellen McLaughlin	Milton
	25	Terry Shelly Gannett	Milton
	25	Kathryn Anne Piotti	Milton
	26	James Charles Miczek	Braintree
	26	Robert Joseph Blomstrom	Canton
	26	Susan Christine Hoadley	Milton
	28	Glenn Paul Alexander	Quincy
	28	Angela Worden	Quincy
	28	Catherine Lomasney	Quincy
	28	Leon K. Haidostian	Boston
	28	Peter William Nicholas	Boston
	28	Kathleen Ann Collins	Milton
	28	Mary Margaret Lynch	Milton
Mar.	1	Irene Maroney	Randolph
	1	Melinda Lee Mitchell	Dedham
	3	Barry Mullen	Milton
	4	Barbara Purcell	Milton
	4	Carol Sue Harris	Quincy
	5	Ernest Economides	Falmouth
	5	Gretchen Schmider	Boston
	5	Ann Vivian	Milton
	6	Mark William Reilly	Weymouth
	6	Paul Francis O'Neill	Cohasset
	6	Mary Claire St. Onge	Milton
	7	Maryann Paula Astuccio	Randolph
	7	Michael Joseph Sestito	Dedham
	8	Marie Goffredo	Boston
	8	Donald Brewster Wales, Jr.	Milton
	8	Gordon Harvey Watkins	Milton
	8	Copeland Mitchell Draper, III	Milton
	9	Geralyn Ann Dooley	Boston
	9	Robert George Stover, Jr.	Milton
	9	Mary Anne Reardon	Milton
	11	Linda Lou White	Weymouth
	11	Arthur Joseph Donahue	Milton
	12	Penelope Clarke Pollard	Boston
	13	Agnes Ann Roderick	Milton
	14	Geraldine Marie Jackson	Quincy
	15	Diane Marie Cusick	Milton
	15	David Daniel MacCord, Jr.	Boston

VITAL STATISTICS

	15	Richard Stanley Potember.....	Randolph
	15	Cynthia Cummings	Milton
	16	Philip John King.....	Milton
	16	Merlyn Theresa Slack.....	Quincy
	16	Thomas Michael Quinn.....	Milton
	16	Margaret Ann Gildea.....	Milton
	17	Peter Francis McCormick.....	Milton
	17	Gail Bambrick	Milton
	18	Ruth Ann MacAskill.....	Braintree
	18	Steven Patrick Morgan.....	Braintree
	18	Kenneth David Fairbairn.....	Braintree
	18	Janet Elizabeth Kelly.....	Weymouth
	18	Kevin McGuire	Milton
	19	David Curtis Reed.....	Braintree
	20	Michael John O'Driscoll.....	Boston
	21	Roberta Ann Jones.....	Sharon
	22	Susan Elizabeth Trefry.....	Quincy
	22	Thomas Mullen	Milton
	23	Gary Antonellis	Quincy
	24	Patrick Francis Cannon.....	Hull
	24	Mary Ellen Rigolio.....	Boston
	24	Robert Charles Morgan, Jr.....	Milton
	25	Catherine Marie Toland.....	Boston
	25	Leo Michael McCormick.....	Randolph
	26	Stephen Michael Murray.....	Boston
	27	Denise Frances Collins.....	Boston
	27	Joseph Thomas Trabucco.....	Boston
	27	Charles Francis Fenton, 3rd.....	Randolph
	27	Jon Edward Oppenheim.....	Milton
	28	Donna Marie McGillvary.....	Boston
	28	Mary Jane Lusi.....	Quincy
	28	Laura Ann Johnston.....	Randolph
	29	Maureen Anne Rugo.....	Milton
	30	Jeanne Gladys Stilgoe.....	Milton
	30	Francis Anthony Welter.....	Boston
	30	Cheryl Elizabeth Adami.....	Milton
	30	Lynn Frances Tamagini.....	Weymouth
	30	Richard Francis Cassani.....	Weymouth
	31	Donald Ladd	Milton
	31	Arthur Michael Mabee.....	Boston
	31	Susanne Norinne Neely.....	Milton
Apr.	1	Eric Conrad Nordley.....	Easton
	1	Gail Merrill Jackman.....	Stoughton
	1	Mary Elizabeth Fallon.....	Milton
	1	Kathleen O'Connor	Milton
	2	Joanne Watson Quinlan.....	Weymouth
	2	Mark Francis Limont, Jr.....	Scituate
	2	Peter Robert Stanley.....	Braintree
	2	Beverly Mae Olsson.....	Milton
	2	Cynthia Louise Martin.....	Milton
	2	David Brookes Harte.....	Milton
	3	Richard Grant O'Brien.....	Randolph
	3	Janet Lee Ellis.....	Boston
	3	Gregory Edwin Young.....	Weymouth

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4	Mary Jane Belyea.....	Quincy
4	Thomas Benjamin McCarthy, Jr.....	Norwell
4	Richard Thomas Fernberg.....	Boston
4	Elizabeth Lorraine James.....	Milton
5	Daniel Eugene Onishuk, Jr.....	Dedham
5	James Michael Gorman.....	Canton
6	Deborah Lee Bell.....	Milton
7	Mary Carolyn Maida.....	Boston
7	Cynthia Ann Wilson.....	Milton
9	Robert Michael Vergobbe.....	Quincy
9	Linda Mary Hoeft.....	Milton
9	Diane Marie McSharry.....	Quincy
10	Ronald George McHugh.....	Milton
10	Stephanie Marie Sweeney.....	Boston
10	Lawrence Smith.....	Milton
11	Robert Paul Landry.....	Boston
11	Gail Deborah Gingras.....	Milton
12	Deborah Ann Clarke.....	Quincy
12	Martha Ann Dugan.....	Milton
13	John Joseph Livingstone, Jr.....	Milton
13	Cynthia Gail Lunetta.....	Quincy
13	Jane Marie Birmingham.....	Randolph
13	Lorna Rutter.....	Milton
13	Anne Jacqueline Dubief.....	Quincy
13	Timothy Michael Adams.....	Milton
14	Philip Dana Tolman.....	Quincy
15	Thomas Wilham Iliffe.....	Weymouth
15	Elizabeth Ann Norton.....	Milton
16	Warren Edward Trott, Jr.....	Boston
17	Sheryl Ann McGowan.....	Quincy
17	Judith Ketchum.....	Rockland
17	Stephanie Lynne Bastrom.....	Boston
18	Mark Andrew MacDonald.....	Abington
18	Anne Christine Cook.....	Milton
18	Paul Jack Merlino.....	Hingham
19	Nancy Marie Nagle.....	Scituate
19	Christine Anne Carpenito.....	Boston
19	Mary Agnes Phelan.....	Milton
19	Susan Marie Blanchard.....	Weymouth
19	Melady June Haley.....	Braintree
20	Arthur Vincent Cote.....	Milton
21	Nancy Rachael Cruickshanks.....	Milton
21	Bonnie Lorraine MacCready.....	Boston
21	Thomas Shaw MacElwee.....	Weymouth
21	David Tash Ramsey, Jr.....	Quincy
21	Deborah Christina Bent.....	Milton
22	Donna Ruth MacKeen.....	Boston
22	William Andrew Ferguson.....	Braintree
22	Mary Dunn.....	Milton
24	Cynthia Ellen Cassese.....	Weymouth
24	Gregory Leo Burke.....	Milton
24	Barry David Leonard.....	Milton
24	Richard Alan Bell.....	Milton
25	Patrick Joseph Ward.....	Milton

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	25	Nancy Irene Jensen.....	Milton
	25	John Joseph Benson, Jr.....	Braintree
	26	Stephen Keefe	Quincy
	26	Michael Keefe	Quincy
	26	Eleanor Marie Rollo.....	Milton
	27	Paul Josephs	Milton
	27	Francis Xavier Gormley, Jr.....	Milton
	28	Kenneth Joseph Conley.....	Stoughton
	28	Dennis Richard Schafer.....	Boston
	29	Mark Stanley Linden.....	Milton
	30	Neil Fisher Allen.....	Hull
	30	Roberta Mary Fitzgerald.....	Randolph
	30	Ellen Mary Spillane.....	Quincy
May	1	Susan Helen Nickerson.....	Boston
	1	Rosemary Louise Perpetua.....	Boston
	1	Christine Margarete Gallery.....	Milton
	2	Jane Lizbeth Bergeron.....	Quincy
	2	Anne Claire Duran.....	Milton
	2	Alan Bruce Steinberg.....	Milton
	2	Martha Peabody Foster.....	Milton
	4	Mark Boehler	Quincy
	4	Earl Dann	Hingham
	4	Gerard Saunders	Randolph
	4	Thomas Joseph Colageo.....	Boston
	5	Arthur John Rettie Sangster, Jr.....	Quincy
	8	Thomas Joseph Dunn.....	Boston
	8	Philip George Moses.....	Milton
	9	Jean Claire Arthur.....	Milton
	9	Clinton Wilding Smith.....	Milton
	9	Thomas Jacobson	Cohasset
	9	Kevin Michael Flaherty.....	Quincy
	9	Stuart Edward Pollock.....	Milton
	10	Janis Ruth Coleman.....	Milton
	10	Barbara Elaine Bloomer.....	Quincy
	10	Howard Lawson DeWolfe.....	Milton
	11	Eleanor Marie Hamilton.....	Brockton
	11	John Shibley	Boston
	11	Gregory Damian Sullivan.....	Boston
	12	Irene Hickey	Boston
	13	Robert Michael Smith.....	Milton
	14	Lee Martin Russell.....	Milton
	14	Rita Marie Donahue.....	Weymouth
	14	Bruce John Matthews.....	Newton
	16	Jeanne Marie Semer.....	Milton
	16	Paul Sullivan	Milton
	18	Josephine Whiteley Quinby.....	Milton
	18	Arlene Frances Knadler.....	Milton
	18	Barbara Joan Webster.....	Norwood
	18	William James Syme.....	Hanover
	19	Susan Helen Nielson.....	Hull
	19	Alan Robert Tays.....	Milton
	20	Elizabeth Marie Hamel.....	Milton
	20	Cynthia Frances Tupper.....	Hingham
	20	Rosanna Kathryn Brown.....	Quincy

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	20	Ellen Ruth Christiano.....	Milton
	21	Gail Ellyn Scarborough.....	Braintree
	21	Jone Hathaway Swift.....	Milton
	21	Joseph Patrick Gannon.....	Boston
	21	Stacey Lynn Smith.....	Milton
	22	Marcia Alice O'Brien.....	Weymouth
	22	Marjorie Ann Vogel.....	Milton
	22	Kenneth Frederick Johnson.....	Milton
	22	Douglas Gregory Allen.....	Milton
	23	Sheila Marie Murphy.....	Milton
	23	Elizabeth Grafton.....	Quincy
	23	Pamela Ann Pickering.....	Milton
	24	John Joseph Shaughnessy, 3rd.....	Weymouth
	25	Kathleen Marie Buckley.....	Milton
	25	Jordan Stuart Brecher.....	Milton
	26	Kevin Brian Toomey.....	Braintree
	26	Robert Emmet Sullivan.....	Milton
	26	Garrett Cochran Maher.....	Milton
	27	Jill Randi Raes.....	Milton
	27	Jeffrey Robert Williams.....	Quincy
	28	Judith Joan Pihl.....	Milton
	28	Jane Esther Coakley.....	Milton
	28	Kathleen Marie Hines.....	Milton
	28	Marguerite Schofield.....	Boston
	29	Randall Scott Tyler.....	Randolph
	30	Lawrence William Murphy.....	Milton
	30	Jane Libertini.....	Quincy
	30	Robert Jeffrey Moodie.....	Milton
June	1	Debra Susan St. Croix.....	Milton
	1	Alan Richard Wiedeman.....	Milton
	1	Roger Lea Taylor.....	Quincy
	1	Stephen Paul Draper.....	Weymouth
	1	Michael Philip Ranhoff.....	Norwood
	2	Susan Mary Monahan.....	Milton
	2	James Philip Runey.....	Scituate
	2	Kenneth Brian Lato.....	Milton
	3	Richard Horigan.....	Boston
	3	Barbara Ellen Nedvins.....	Boston
	3	Susan Marie Curry.....	Boston
	3	Diane Marie Roberts.....	Whitman
	4	Diane Maria O'Brien.....	Boston
	4	Eleanor O'Brien Villard.....	Quincy
	5	Jacqueline Ann Keppel.....	Braintree
	5	Robert James O'Brien.....	Randolph
	5	Joseph John Salorio.....	Quincy
	5	Kathleen Teresa Sheridan.....	Boston
	5	William Geoffrey Leary.....	Milton
	6	Stephen Borey.....	Boston
	6	Robert John Arthur.....	Boston
	6	William Chester Kardos.....	Boston
	6	Denise Paulette Carbonaro.....	Boston
	6	Russell Joseph Evans.....	Milton
	6	Karen Lee Johnson.....	Milton
	7	Kurt Albert Schulte.....	Milton

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7	Baby Boy Swift.....	Milton
9	Cindy Jane Dattman.....	Weymouth
9	Anita Frances McEnrue.....	Weymouth
9	Gerald Ward Ericson.....	Boston
9	Christine Mary Good.....	Milton
9	Richard Newton Carr.....	Sharon
10	Maureen Julia Kelly.....	Quincy
10	Jane Hopkins	Milton
10	Stephen Albert Komick.....	Randolph
11	Martha Irene Coleman.....	Milton
11	Ellen Marie Hoy.....	Milton
12	Ellen Barrett Lansing.....	Milton
12	Steven Robert Maw.....	Rockland
12	Virginia Marie Lyons.....	Boston
12	Elaine Sharon Klaich.....	Milton
12	Susan Jean McDonough.....	Quincy
12	Robert Barclay Feather.....	Milton
12	Judith Marie Cavanaugh.....	Milton
13	Karen Barbara Kisil.....	Boston
13	Paul Francis Troy.....	Milton
14	Norma Jean Tolson.....	Quincy
14	John Patrick Manning.....	Boston
14	Maureen Elizabeth Houlihan.....	Quincy
15	Brian Eugene Kelley.....	Milton
15	Philip George Field.....	Milton
16	David Greer Noble.....	Weymouth
16	Mark Geoffrey Finn.....	Milton
17	Rose Elizabeth Bruno.....	Quincy
17	Gerard Peter Raccina.....	Cohasset
17	Rosemary Dunphy.....	Milton
18	Susan Pitts	Boston
18	Mary Elizabeth Foley.....	Braintree
19	Thomas Malcolm Kent.....	Milton
19	Janet Elisabeth Garvey.....	Milton
20	Nancy Single	Boston
20	Bruce Leighton Stevens.....	Quincy
20	Carol Louise Higgins.....	Hingham
21	Margaret Ellen Carey.....	Hingham
21	Debra Louise Charlton.....	Whitman
22	Edward John Nestor.....	Quincy
22	Robert Paul Johnson.....	Quincy
22	Marie Ellen Boimilla.....	Milton
23	Elaine Marie Fisher.....	Boston
23	Nancy Lynne Murphy.....	Weymouth
24	Debra Anne Naas.....	Quincy
24	Richard Quincy	Boston
25	Eileen Marie Regan.....	Braintree
26	Dorothy Frances DiPesa.....	Milton
27	Susan Elizabeth Casey.....	Milton
27	Patrice Marie Moore.....	Quincy
27	John Kevin Costello.....	Milton
28	Robert Montgomery	Randolph
28	Richard Terry Longcor.....	Needham
28	John Paul King.....	Milton

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	29	Marilyn Louise Swan.....	Weymouth
	29	Mary Jeanne Powers.....	Randolph
	30	Douglas Charles Guarino.....	Milton
July	1	Joseph Edward Baggs, 3rd.....	Holbrook
	1	Virginia Edna Goodall.....	Stoughton
	2	David Parker Miller.....	Milton
	2	Jacqueline Anne Cahill.....	Quincy
	2	Joanne Barry.....	Milton
	2	Dianne Marie Casey.....	Milton
	3	Mary Rita Riccelli.....	Quincy
	5	Gail Ann Caliri.....	Boston
	5	Edward Drew Kilnapp.....	Milton
	5	Scott William Troup.....	Milton
	6	Thomas Francis Birmingham.....	Norwood
	6	Adele Nellie Henderson.....	Canton
	6	Lawrence Joseph Toye.....	Milton
	6	Elizabeth Holmes Pillsbury.....	Milton
	7	Virginia White.....	Boston
	7	Barbara Joan Connolly.....	Milton
	7	Russell Gordon Dicey.....	Boston
	8	Diane Zimmerman.....	Weymouth
	8	Robert John Hartford.....	Boston
	9	Deborah Carey.....	Boston
	9	Pamela Brebbia.....	Hingham
	10	Paul David White.....	Milton
	10	Christine Ruth MacInnis.....	Quincy
	10	Joanne Marie Baranick.....	Milton
	11	Annmarie Squatrito.....	Milton
	12	Robert Paul McEvoy.....	Boston
	12	Dennis Edward Diatte.....	Braintree
	12	Daniel Joseph McGrath.....	Milton
	12	James Edward Findley.....	Milton
	13	David Hill Cochrane.....	Quincy
	13	Robert Vincent Jones.....	Milton
	13	Paulette Dorothy Johnson.....	Boston
	14	Joseph Robert Kenney.....	Boston
	14	Candace Lee Miller.....	Weymouth
	14	Kathleen McCarthy.....	Boston
	15	Harry Claude Hibbard, Jr.....	Quincy
	15	John Lawrence DeCoste.....	Milton
	16	Stephen Edward Sibley.....	Milton
	16	Stephen Joseph Hilchey.....	Boston
	16	Michael William Kerwin.....	Quincy
	16	Karen Louise Consolati.....	Milton
	16	Helena Hoy Kelliher.....	Milton
	17	Jeanne Marie Falconi.....	Randolph
	18	Graham Henry Donlon, Jr.....	Quincy
	18	Brian Edward Crowley.....	Milton
	19	Cynthia Louise Chase.....	Hingham
	19	Nancy Ellen Clarke.....	Boston
	19	William Henry Zalewski.....	Milton
	20	Robert Michael Olivier.....	Milton
	20	Patricia Ann Wilson.....	Milton
	22	Janice Ellen Paulsen.....	Quincy

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	22	Darlene Marie Clarke.....	Weymouth
	22	Maureen Marella	Holbrook
	22	Paul Anthony Tucker.....	Milton
	23	Mary Burdulis	Milton
	23	Donna Marie Stoneck.....	Milton
	23	Elaine Glavin	Boston
	23	Victoria Mae Pettersen.....	Weymouth
	24	James Anthony Armstrong.....	Boston
	24	Henry Charles Drew.....	Milton
	25	Marilyn Diane Pearson.....	Milton
	25	Mary Jean Reddington.....	Milton
	25	Claire Hartigan	Boston
	26	Robert James Bambrick.....	Weymouth
	26	Howard Willis Arnold, Jr.....	Milton
	27	William Louis Harris.....	Milton
	28	Paula Jane Kiessling.....	Randolph
	29	Susan Marie Quinn.....	Quincy
	29	Michael Hester	Boston
	29	Matthew Sidney Louis Mees.....	Stoughton
	30	Daniel Joseph D'Angelo.....	Boston
Aug.	2	Robert Scott Parker.....	Braintree
	3	Brian Edward Williams.....	Weymouth
	3	Margaret Ann Rothwell.....	Boston
	3	Michael Joseph Kearney.....	Randolph
	3	Anne Marie Collins.....	Milton
	4	Walter Vincent Linden, Jr.....	Weymouth
	5	Alexis Marcel Count de Skarzynski.....	Milton
	5	James Brian Cullen.....	Milton
	6	Robin Ann Ardini.....	Milton
	6	Linda Susan Bockover.....	Boston
	7	Marie Denise Farrell.....	Milton
	7	Walter Douglas George.....	Braintree
	7	Cary Ruth Hendrickson.....	Connecticut
	8	Michael Edward Conklin, Jr.....	Boston
	8	David Marshall Muise.....	Quincy
	8	Ellen Marie Horgan.....	Milton
	9	Barbara Ware	Milton
	9	Teresa Ann Mason.....	Quincy
	9	Craig Douglass Weimer.....	Boston
	9	Jon Mark Wallace.....	Boston
	9	Denise Marie Rappold.....	Quincy
	10	Richard Lawrence Taylor.....	Milton
	10	Eugene Francis MacGrath.....	Milton
	11	Peter Edward Corrigan.....	Braintree
	11	Barbara Palombo	Boston
	11	Eleanor Alice Abbott, II.....	Milton
	12	Bernadette Marie Finlan.....	Boston
	13	Maureen Sullivan	Milton
	13	Barry Phillip Casey.....	Boston
	14	Patrice Marie Lynch.....	Weymouth
	14	Stephen Eldridge Benjamin.....	Milton
	14	Deborah Ann Todd.....	Milton
	15	Robert John Dolan.....	Milton
	15	Leo Joseph Meehan, 3rd.....	Quincy

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	16	Bruce Anderson	Needham
	16	Barbara Ann Marconi	Randolph
	16	Susan Ellen Young	Whitman
	17	Ellen Dorothy Kippenberger	Milton
	17	Bruce Daniel Cruickshank	Dedham
	17	Robert George Raymond	Milton
	17	Michael Howard Satter	Milton
	18	Paul Connelly	Milton
	18	Andrew Vincent Furlong, Jr.	Braintree
	19	Michael James Mills	Quincy
	19	Bruce George Remillard	Boston
	19	Alyson Maud Pugsley	Halifax
	19	George Francis Gales, Jr.	Quincy
	19	Charles Irving Walker, Jr.	Milton
	19	Debra Ann Taylor	Milton
	20	Mary Agnes Murray	Milton
	20	Bruce Edward Pearson	Milton
	20	Gale McNamara	Boston
	21	Kenneth Stephen Drinan	Quincy
	21	Roberta Ann Baxter	Boston
	22	Francis Laton Parker	Milton
	22	Judith Paula Intonti	Boston
	22	Jean Anne Willy	Weymouth
	23	Maureen Frances Wilson	Hingham
	23	Peter McCaul	Weymouth
	24	Mary Joan Connelly	Quincy
	24	Joan Patrice Lynes	Milton
	25	Hilary-Elizabeth Kelley	Weymouth
	26	Edwin Michael Thomas, Jr.	Milton
	26	Karen Amy Zaslau	Milton
	26	Joanne Valanzola	Boston
	26	Jeanne Valanzola	Boston
	27	Charles Joseph McCarthy	Milton
	28	Robin Roy Huer	Braintree
	28	John Joseph Condon, Jr.	Boston
	30	Teresa Rose Conroy	Hingham
	30	Richard James Casey	Milton
	30	Laura Anne Bartko	Braintree
	30	Denise Potter	Weymouth
	31	Joseph Patrick Thornton, Jr.	Milton
Sept.	1	Elaine Marie Michaels	Milton
	1	James Raymond Tripp	Westwood
	2	Jean Marie Petitti	Quincy
	2	John Fish	Milton
	3	Kevin Francis Dacey	Boston
	3	Dennis Joseph O'Callaghan	Milton
	3	Baby Boy Milley	Milton
	4	John Kevin Murphy	Milton
	4	Charles Jerome McCarthy, Jr.	Milton
	4	Gail Bilodeau	Hull
	4	Roger Blair Sypek	Canton
	5	David Gill	Hingham
	5	David Francis Hallahan	Braintree
	6	John Kelliher Scanlan	Milton

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6	Robert Thomas Hiney.....	Milton
7	Edward Francis Morgan.....	Milton
7	Steven Joseph Finn.....	Milton
8	Paula-Marie Holmes	Weymouth
9	Dana Ronald Hanson.....	Quincy
9	Jane Marie Hannon.....	Somerville
9	Lisa Fraser Giddings.....	Quincy
9	Kevin Maher	Boston
9	Stephen Bruce Anderson.....	Milton
9	Linda Marie Boselli.....	Milton
10	Mary Elizabeth Sullivan.....	Milton
10	Joanne Kathleen King.....	Milton
11	Elizabeth Anne Wood.....	Quincy
12	Francis Berg	Boston
12	Robin Beaulieu	Hanson
14	William Francis Foley.....	Boston
14	Clifford Michael Briggs.....	Boston
14	Roberta Kelley	Boston
15	Paul Bradford Clark, Jr.....	Weymouth
15	Stephen Paul Severin.....	Boston
16	Donald Davis Mackiernan.....	Canton
17	Robert Joseph O'Brien.....	Milton
17	Veronica Eileen Messinger.....	Milton
17	Stephen Mark O'Kane.....	Quincy
17	Bernard Stephen Bernardo.....	Norwood
18	Mary Alice Mitchell.....	Milton
18	Kevin Reardon	Milton
18	Carol Ann Blakely.....	Boston
19	Robert Karlin	Milton
20	Rosanne O'Brien	Milton
20	Donald Wight	Quincy
20	John Warren Sullivan.....	Dedham
20	Peter Crane	Quincy
21	Edward Vincent Dailey, Jr.....	Boston
21	Michael Dwyer	Quincy
22	William Patrick Endres.....	Milton
22	Patricia Marie Dennehy.....	Quincy
22	Robert Thomas Cannon, Jr.....	Quincy
23	Madeline Long	Milton
23	Joseph Dooley	Framingham
23	Elaine Suzanne Dicey.....	Boston
25	Linda Maureen Russo.....	Abington
25	Paul Joseph Lombardi.....	Boston
26	Stephen Craig Pierce.....	Quincy
26	Jeffrey Allan Batchelor.....	Kingston
26	Moirra Ellen Fanning.....	Milton
26	Leslie Lynn Jones.....	Hingham
27	Steven Douglas Holly.....	Milton
28	Linda Marie Collins.....	Quincy
28	Thomas Wilson Wilkinson.....	Braintree
29	Robert Kyle Doherty, Jr.....	Milton
30	Richard Thomas Vinton.....	Boston
30	Mary Therese Desmond.....	Milton
30	John Arthur Nangeroni.....	Milton

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Oct.	1	Sheila Marie O'Malley.....	Milton
	1	John Harold Moye, Jr.....	Hingham
	1	Thomas William Kelly.....	Boston
	2	John Henry Hines.....	Hingham
	3	Ellen Louise Parr.....	Milton
	4	Paul David Fulham.....	Milton
	4	Paul Sugden	Milton
	5	Priscilla Jean Park.....	Marshfield
	6	Lauren O'Connor	Boston
	6	Mary Eshleman Reece.....	Milton
	7	Sandra Hirvonen	Milton
	8	John Francis Tobin.....	Milton
	8	Bradford James White.....	Boston
	9	Robert Edward Murray.....	Milton
	9	Barbara Elizabeth Greene.....	Milton
	10	Richard Henry Spellman.....	Milton
	10	Christine Marie Doyle.....	Milton
	10	Paul Francis Hickey.....	Boston
	10	Sandra Jean Jackson.....	Milton
	11	Wayne Kent Miller.....	Milton
	11	John Boyden	Milton
	11	John Francis Walsh.....	Weymouth
	12	Brenda Knight	Milton
	13	Ruth Anne Fleming.....	Boston
	13	Frederick Edward Gallagher.....	Milton
	13	Kathleen Marie Scully.....	Brockton
	13	Judith Marie Anglin.....	Milton
	13	Ronald David Cort.....	Milton
	13	Johann Robert White.....	Milton
	14	Deborah Ann Jetter.....	Weymouth
	14	Lloyd Paul McDonald.....	Stoughton
	14	Susan Frances Doran.....	Milton
	14	Anne Louise Fleming.....	Randolph
	15	David Richard Ogar.....	Milton
	17	Daniel Joseph Gibson.....	Boston
	19	Francis Walter Sabina, Jr.....	Boston
	20	Linda Marion Crawford.....	Dedham
	20	Patricia Marie Jordan.....	Milton
	22	Dianne Elisabeth Mullen.....	Weymouth
	22	John James Power.....	Boston
	22	Gail Anne Buckley.....	Quincy
	23	Christopher Reeves Lowd.....	Boston
	23	Bryan Dennis Manning.....	Milton
	23	Alison Susan Danis.....	Milton
	23	David Peter McDonald.....	Milton
	24	Cindy Frances Gustafson.....	Randolph
	25	Mary Elizabeth Donlan.....	Milton
	25	Kevin Clancy	Boston
	26	John Studley	Cohasset
	26	Nancy Ruth Wilkinson.....	Quincy
	27	Peter Russell Berberan.....	Quincy
	27	Miriam Browne	Dedham
	27	David Charles Varnerin.....	Milton
	28	Susan Joan Davie.....	Milton

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28	Francine Donahue	Braintree
29	Roseanne Marie Tocci	Quincy
29	Karen Thea Melsky	Quincy
30	Joan Sullivan	Boston
30	Nancy DiCarlo	Quincy
30	Gordon William Wallace, Jr.	Milton
Nov.	1 Edward James Taylor	Weymouth
2	William Michael Faiella	Boston
2	Karen Alice McKee	Weymouth
2	Thomas Edward Braconi	Boston
2	Timothy Joseph Kunz	Milton
3	Edward Laurence Hill	Quincy
3	Elizabeth Marie Kennedy	Milton
3	Ann Elizabeth Higgins	Milton
4	Diane Marie DiTullio	Milton
6	Craig Fagerstrom	Melrose
8	Kathleen Marie Teed	Milton
8	Richard Charles Rajunas	Boston
8	Nancy Ellen Bryant	Boston
9	Robert Joseph Curran	Norwell
9	James Brian Parker	Milton
9	Philip Wilson More	Milton
9	David Hamlin More	Milton
10	Patricia Ann Burke	Boston
12	Melinda Joan Murphy	Quincy
12	Karen Jane Grillo	Boston
12	Joseph McMahon	Sharon
12	James McMahon	Sharon
13	David Walter Sansom	Weymouth
14	Walter Stephen Carr	Boston
14	Sandra Marie McDonald	Stoughton
14	Christine Aronson	Weymouth
14	Christine Anne Locke	Quincy
14	Randall Ryan White	Hingham
15	Cynthia Rae Botsch	Stoughton
15	Mark Flaherty	Boston
15	Richard Fabian Hogan, Jr.	Belmont
16	John Francis Drott	Weymouth
17	Dianne Ruth Baga	Boston
17	Susan Jean Whelan	Milton
18	Lynda Susan Hayes	Quincy
21	Michael DeCenzo	Boston
22	Daniel Charles Tucci	Weymouth
22	Philip Michael Gibson	Boston
22	Doreen Jeanne Skidmore	Weymouth
22	Judith Frances Antonetti	Weymouth
22	Albert Bernard McDonald, Jr.	Milton
24	Robert Edward Nelson	Boston
25	Laurie Morrison	Boston
25	Pamela Ann Swett	Stoughton
26	Alan Charles Walter	Boston
26	Mary Claire Cataldi	Milton
27	Lauren Christine Duncan	Weymouth
29	Michele Diane Gordon	Boston

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	29	Margaret Grace MacPhee.....	Quincy
	30	Paul Vincent McCarthy.....	Quincy
	30	Janice Marie Huber.....	Connecticut
Dec.	2	Sheila Louise Handy.....	Hull
	2	Glenn Murray Werner.....	Boston
	2	Dennis Joseph Degnan.....	Boston
	2	Carol Anne Morrissey.....	Boston
	2	John Albert Burdo.....	Boston
	3	Jeanne Marie DeSimone.....	Boston
	4	Lynne Marie Ketchum.....	Hingham
	4	Cynthia Marchaland Moore.....	Braintree
	4	John Raymond Augusta.....	Boston
	5	Stephen Gardner.....	Milton
	6	Paul Joseph Gill.....	Weymouth
	6	Douglas MacPhail Sibbald.....	Weymouth
	7	Jane Winsor.....	Norwell
	8	Janice Elizabeth Vasil.....	Watertown
	9	George Marsh Thomas.....	Randolph
	9	Mary Patricia Plant.....	Abington
	10	Ronald Hugh Bayer.....	Abington
	11	William Gregory Osgood.....	Weymouth
	11	William Gerard Daly.....	Milton
	14	Joanne Elizabeth Stevens.....	Milton
	14	Lynne Frances Stevens.....	Milton
	15	Nancy Catherine Erickson.....	Boston
	15	Kathleen Marie Donahue.....	Boston
	16	David Lawrence Keefe.....	Cohasset
	17	Barbara Ann Lynch.....	Quincy
	17	Joanne Marie Leary.....	Boston
	18	Julian Francis Greeley, II.....	Milton
	19	Carol Ann Good.....	Milton
	19	Maureen O'Reilly.....	Quincy
	21	Karen Duclos Krieger.....	Milton
	23	Lee Perry Alexander.....	Milton
	23	Stephen Conrad Wallace.....	Marshfield
	23	Patricia Dunn.....	Quincy
	24	Andrew Stephen Hunt.....	Weymouth
	24	Marie Avis Johnston.....	Milton
	25	Dianne Louise Lomas.....	Quincy
	25	Edward John DeBruyn, 3rd.....	Milton
	25	Frederick Wade DeBruyn.....	Milton
	26	David Bruce Rhoades.....	Braintree
	26	Brian Stephen Green.....	Randolph
	27	Cynthia Ruth Perry.....	Dedham
	27	Carol Ann Pettenati.....	Boston
	28	David Owen Simms.....	Boston
	28	Stephen Charles Russo.....	Milton
	28	Lawrence Joseph Sparrow.....	Newton
	28	Robert Bothwell Mowbray.....	Weymouth

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28	Kathleen Marie Dempsey.....	Weymouth
29	Thomas Rodger	Boston
30	James Richard Qualey, III.....	Weymouth
30	Heather Trodden	Quincy
30	Judith Zoda	Braintree
30	Baby Girl Mahoney.....	Boston
31	Howard Wayne Kelley.....	Boston
31	Karen Ann Stepanek.....	Quincy
31	Lee Ann Shaughnessy.....	Randolph
31	Stephen Gerard Briana.....	Quincy

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MARRIAGES

The whole number of marriages registered in the Town of Milton for the year 1953 was 249 as follows:

- Jan. 7 Eugene R. Hurley, Jr. of Baldwin, N. Y. and Nancy E. Megley of Milton.
10 Patrick R. Manning of Brookline and Dorris (Bailey) Longo of Milton.
10 Charles A. Crowley, Jr. of Quincy and Ann Marie Miller of Milton.
10 Walter M. Campbell of Quincy and Barbara J. Allison of Milton.
18 James A. Atsales of Milton and Livia Karalexis of Boston.
24 Joseph H. Hardiman of Boston and Mary T. Brandon of Milton.
24 Ian W. Thom of Evanston, Illinois and A. Nancy Forbes of Milton.
30 Wilbur Turner of Milton and Barbara S. Pierce of Cambridge.
31 Albert F. LaCroix of Milton and Lucille W. Drake of Boston.
- Feb. 7 Richard T. Witt of Canton and Barbara M. Chick of Quincy.
11 F. Martin Teal and Ida M. McLean, both of Milton.
14 David A. Varnerin of Milton and Jeanne M. Clark of Boston.
14 James W. Colleary of Cambridge and Barbara A. Gordon of Milton.
14 Gerard F. Casey of Milton and Helen V. Tangney of Newton.
14 Charles W. Flagg and Phyllis B. Fulton, both of Milton.
14 Lawrence C. Howard of Milton and G. Elizabeth Fitzgerald of Brookline.
14 George W. Whitney of Milton and Margaret P. Randall of Waterville, Me.
15 Paul Drudi of Boston and Helen F. Ramasco of Milton.
20 Edward J. DeBruyn of Quincy and Nancy H. Howard of Milton.
28 John V. Murphy of Milton and Phyllis P. Massey of Dedham.
28 William H. Bowe, Jr. of Milton and Doris (Oliver) Mitton of Brookline.
- Mar. 1 Charles T. Mains of Boston and Madeline R. Shea of Milton.
7 Frederick J. Carrara of Boston and Ruth Maloney of Milton.
14 Joseph Gallagher of Boston and Alice F. Britt of Milton.
14 Robert E. Park and Bessie J. Nickerson, both of Milton.
15 Phillips Hallowell of Milton and Jane Cochrane of Wellesley.
- Apr. 5 John A. O'Leary of Boston and Joan M. Newcomb of Milton.
5 John T. Lawlor of Newton and Marion R. Lorden of Milton.
11 John F. Ollive of Boston and Evelyn Maloney of Milton.
12 William J. Sawdy of Milton and Jean Carter of Quincy.
18 William P. Reavey of Boston and Ruth D. Folger of Milton.
18 John M. Tansey of Philadelphia, Pa. and Inez T. Campbell of Milton.
18 Louis E. Ashley of Boston and Ruth P. Coleman of Milton.
18 Wallace P. Dobbie of Milton and Claire Alvin of Arlington.
18 John A. Venti of Quincy and Janet Cull of Milton.
18 Frank P. Reichert of Boston and Catherine A. Burnes of Milton.
18 Francis S. Sherry of Bridge Hampton, L. I., N. Y. and Margaret A. Pieper of Milton.
25 Robert J. Baker and Marjorie E. McCarthy, both of Milton.
25 Henry P. Murphy, Jr. of Milton and Mary E. McAuliffe of Boston.
25 Gerard R. Mattaliano and Jean E. Bertram, both of Milton.
- May 2 Joseph L. Dooley, Jr. and Jan Ferguson, both of Milton.
2 Frederick A. Stevens, Jr. of Melrose and Elizabeth St. B. Boyd of Milton.
5 Max Wainer of Boston and Anne E. (Bauer) Wainer of Milton.
9 Frederick Schoaf of Milton and Irene A. Mulligan of Quincy.
9 Austin J. O'Malley, Jr. of Milton and Claire Ann Connery of Boston.
9 Robert C. Holden of Hingham and Jacqueline Lea Cobb of Brockton.
9 Arthur T. Wallace and Elizabeth A. McCormack, both of Milton.

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- 14 Henry Whitney of Hingham and Ethel J. Keating of Milton.
 - 16 John F. Cremen and Jean M. Finnegan, both of Milton.
 - 16 Jeremiah J. Sheehan of Boston and Ann M. Hannigan of Milton.
 - 16 Richard P. Callahan of Milton and Jacqueline J. Moylan of Florence, Mass.
 - 16 Joseph A. Mulherin, Jr. of Milton and Virginia M. McHale of Boston.
 - 16 Clinton H. Stewart and Evelyn M. Johnson, both of Milton.
 - 16 Hugh C. G. Chase of Milton and Lois C. Flurry of Slidell, La.
 - 19 Philip Alan Kemp of New Haven, Conn. and Leatrice M. Hoard of Milton.
 - 22 Carl B. Carlson and Frances Seekins, both of Milton.
 - 23 William F. Lynch and Barbara E. Dugan, both of Milton.
 - 23 John N. Dwyer of Weymouth and Barbara A. Faulkner of Milton.
 - 23 Charles H. Andrews, Jr. of Milton and Esther M. Grant of Randolph.
 - 24 George R. Livingstone of Milton and Marguerite Tasker of Braintree.
 - 24 John F. O'Neill of Somerville and Joan F. Swanson of Milton.
 - 29 Allan Scott Merrill of Milton and Shirley Lorraine Hansen of Boston.
 - 30 Antone M. DaCosta of Taunton and Claire P. Murphy of Milton.
 - 30 John M. Reynolds, III of New York City, N. Y. and Joan M. Law of Milton.
 - 30 James G. Jennings of Braintree and Nancy A. Jennings of Milton.
 - 30 John Fleming of Boston and Bridget Doochan of Milton.
 - 30 Gordon W. Johnson of Scotia, N. Y. and Edith M. Gibb of Milton.
 - 31 Philip F. Pfeiffer of N. Quincy and Ursula R. Schumann of Milton.
- June
- 5 Allan L. Johnson and Anne E. Lynch, both of Milton.
 - 5 Herbert C. Lang of Milton and Nancy V. V. Bent of Boston.
 - 6 Gilbert D. Huebner of So. Orange, N. J. and Phyllis T. Glynn of Milton.
 - 6 Edward F. White and Nancy J. Lawrence, both of Milton.
 - 6 Raymond J. Nichols of Orleans and Eleanor G. Williams of Milton.
 - 6 Arthur S. Welch of Milton and Nancy A. Bunn of New Haven, Conn.
 - 6 John F. Walsh of Lincoln, N. H. and Katherine E. Rogers of Milton.
 - 6 Donald T. Killilea of Milton and Marjorie McDonald of Quincy.
 - 6 James M. Regan of Boston and Manola F. Tansey of Milton.
 - 7 Robert B. McGilvray of Boston and Marjorie A. Allison of Milton.
 - 7 Waino Kauranen of Quincy and Georgelyn Howes of Milton.
 - 13 Robert F. O'Connell of Cambridge and Barbara A. Black of Milton.
 - 13 Charles E. Mallahan, Jr. of Hartsdale, N. Y. and Justine R. Coveney of Milton.
 - 13 James C. Flaherty of Milton and Barbara A. Palmer of Boston.
 - 13 Allan D. Maiden of Milton and Emily Jewett of Newton.
 - 14 George P. Baker, Jr. and Katharine H. Elliott, both of Milton.
 - 14 Arnold J. Osol of Boston and Marjorie McKenna of Milton.
 - 18 Richard L. Costa of Avon and Mary G. Canney of Milton.
 - 19 Leo J. Mahoney of Milton and Virginia M. (Plunkett) Lally of Quincy.
 - 20 Earl J. McCormack of Milton and Phyllis B. Powers of Boston.
 - 20 Henry P. Binney, Jr. of Milton and Harriet Seamans of Salem.
 - 20 George P. Morse, Jr. of Milton and Hazel Annis of Boston.
 - 20 James J. Livingston of Boston and Mary R. Hogan of Milton.
 - 20 Burnham P. Miller of Needham and Elizabeth Schoenherr of Milton.
 - 20 George J. Quinn of Hull and Catherine I. Hannon of Milton.
 - 20 Richard W. Watson and Carol A. Wilson, both of Milton.
 - 20 Robert C. Kelley of Alfred, N. Y. and Martha E. Svenson of Milton.
 - 20 Donald L. Deschenes of Salem and Mary E. Finn of Milton.
 - 20 James E. Keohane of Cambridge and Eliner A. Buckingham of Milton.
 - 20 Robert L. Varney of Milton and Janet D. Norrby of Watertown.

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- 21 John J. Walsh of Milton and Marie T. Kelley of Boston.
 - 26 William D. Turner of Milton and Audrey (Beers) Vineau of Boston.
 - 27 William J. Swanton of Milton and Jeraine A. Sartori of Quincy.
 - 27 Frank Beekees of Halifax and Patricia Cartwright of Milton.
 - 27 Robert C. Fraser of Watertown and Alice A. Gay of Milton.
 - 27 Francis M. DeSantis of Milton and Jean L. Zampi of Boston.
 - 27 Arthur W. Taylor and Margaret M. Grant, both of Milton.
 - 27 Gary Hall of Wilmington, Vt. and Louise Terzie of Milton.
 - 27 William H. Ezell of Pasadena, California and Virginia M. Webster of Milton.
 - 28 Joseph F. Feeney of Boston and Joan Carroll of Milton.
 - 28 Oreste V. Baino of Boston and Henrietta Elwood of Milton.
 - 28 Robert D. Shinney and Ruth I. Johnson, both of Milton.
- July
- 3 Donald G. Farnum of Milton and Ann C. Pridham of Boston.
 - 4 Paul Liston of Ft. Tilden, N. Y. and Miriam Foley of Milton.
 - 4 Harold R. Gruner of Moultonboro, N. H. and Marguerite L. Wiesner of Milton.
 - 5 David B. Peterson of Braintree and Mary H. Quattrochi of Quincy.
 - 6 Leo F. Ford of Boston and Virginia R. (Bailey) Cooke of Milton.
 - 7 Paul J. Ferdinand and Barbara A. Baker, both of Milton.
 - 10 Horatio Rogers, Jr. of No. Andover and Sheila Page Stires of Milton.
 - 11 Edward L. Cochran, Jr. of New Haven, Conn. and Catherine J. Flanagan of Milton.
 - 18 Marshall A. Bugg of Pensacola, Florida and Mary Winters of Milton.
 - 18 Robert Allan Hawes of Weymouth and Helen M. Chagnot of Milton.
 - 21 John W. Langill and Geraldine M. Doyle, both of Milton.
 - 24 Robert E. Orrall of Braintree and Karin E. E. Munck of Milton.
 - 25 Joseph Frazier of Braintree and Patricia McNamara of Milton.
 - 25 Louis J. Maranhas and Barbara J. Graves, both of Milton.
 - 31 John H. Grady of Boston and Loretta V. Fennell of Milton.
- Aug.
- 1 Joseph T. Dillon and Evelyn M. Harvey, both of Milton.
 - 1 John S. Hepke of Milton and Carmela R. Tieso of Boston.
 - 2 William Conboy of Milton and Cecelia (Harnedy) Slack of Boston.
 - 2 Leon H. Litman of Milton and Marilyn Corman of Brookline.
 - 2 Janson S. Epstein of Boston and Barbara J. Lessoff of Milton.
 - 8 James H. Downey of Milton and Mary C. Sloan of Cambridge.
 - 8 John E. Welch and Virginia M. Canney, both of Quincy.
 - 15 Angelo A. DeFilippo of Boston and Rita Mahoney of Milton.
 - 15 John F. Alexander, Jr. of Milton and Mabel Lignell of Boston.
 - 16 Thomas P. Smith of Newburyport and Jane A. Badger of Milton.
 - 22 Paul F. Densmore of Milton and Sophie Conley of Boston.
 - 22 Russell Bourne of Milton and Miriam A. Young of Wellesley.
 - 29 James E. Creighton of Milton and Gertrude McKinnon of Holyoke.
 - 29 Gilbert M. Carlson of Milton and Elaine L. Olson of Waltham.
 - 29 Stephen Dwarnick of Maplewood, N. J. and Nancy J. Sanderson of Milton.
 - 29 James T. Ritchey, Jr. of Berkeley, Calif. and Muriel G. Shaw of Milton.
 - 29 Robert J. Murphy of Boston and Joanne P. Norris of Quincy.
- Sept.
- 5 Donald N. Broughton and Elizabeth F. Dunn, both of Milton.
 - 5 William C. Buschek of New York City, N. Y. and Eileen M. Buckley of Milton.
 - 5 William F. Teevens and Ann M. Delahanty, both of Milton.
 - 5 Francis W. Powers of Wakefield and Grace J. Houlahan of Milton.

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- 9 George E. Johnson, Jr. of Milton and Barbara E. Beckwith of Boston.
 - 11 Arthur J. Guilbert of Weymouth and Margaret C. Callahan of Milton.
 - 11 Donald C. Sargent of Milton and Meave D. Gallagher of Boston.
 - 12 Robert K. Lamere and Margaret J. Norris, both of Milton.
 - 12 Eugene H. Lorden, Jr. of Milton and Virginia M. Brown of Weymouth.
 - 12 Robert K. Bold of Milton and Jeanne Desmond of Quincy.
 - 12 Richard G. Fairchild of East Orange, N. J. and Barbara J. Purcell of Milton.
 - 12 Joseph L. Balfe and Anne M. Crowley, both of Milton.
 - 15 William H. Fox of Milton and Geraldine B. Parker of Exeter, N. H.
 - 15 Russell A. Hopkins of Milton and Cherie Poyner of Long Island, N. Y.
 - 17 John A. Ritchie of Canada and Constance E. M. Allison of Milton.
 - 19 William W. Bradford of Milton and Barbara A. Dunn of Bedford.
 - 19 John J. Bowen of Boston and Bridget P. Mulry of Milton.
 - 19 Dominic J. Agostini of Pawtucket, R. I. and Clarice Isidori of Milton.
 - 19 Philip M. Horan, Jr. of Milton and Cynthia A. Chase of Millbury, Mass.
 - 19 John N. Triggs of Milton and Priscilla A. Hoyt of Hampton, N. H.
 - 19 William J. Shields, Jr. of Milton and Barbara O'Brien of Quincy.
 - 19 Harry S. D'Alessandro of Quincy and Jean A. Sullivan of Milton.
 - 19 Harry Lane of Norwood and Norma E. Goudey of Milton.
 - 20 John J. Bray of Milton and Dorothy Cannon of Boston.
 - 23 Edward P. Kelley of Boston and Dorothy A. Curtis of Milton.
 - 26 Ralph A. Norton of Milton and Mary E. McDonald of Quincy.
 - 26 Harold Hathaway of Brockton and Blanche E. Davey of Milton.
 - 26 Edward J. Stevens of Milton and Catherine A. Foley of Boston.
 - 26 Andrew J. Doran of Natick and Marie C. Hogan of Milton.
 - 26 Joseph M. Bernard of Ashland and Audrey L. Waters of Milton.
 - 26 Charles E. Cahill, Jr. of Quincy and Joan E. Manning of Milton.
 - 26 Thomas J. Gorman of Milton and Cathleen Clifford of Somerville.
 - 27 Michael G. Kelakos of Washington, D. C. and Theresa A. Plakias of Milton.
- Oct.
- 3 Wilbur T. Morse, Jr. of Sharon and Marjorie A. Young of Canton.
 - 3 John R. Swanson of Milton and Jeannette T. Dion of Waltham.
 - 3 Patrick J. Galvin of Cambridge and Mary V. Joyce of Milton.
 - 3 Walter G. Heintz of San Jose, California and Beatrice L. O'Meara of Milton.
 - 4 Arthur D. Crosby of Milton and Barbara A. Burke of Boston.
 - 9 Stanley Fraser of Medford and Ruth Furbish of Milton.
 - 9 William G. Patts of Milton and Mildred Pitman of Quincy.
 - 10 Joseph P. Kane of Milton and Jean Ready of Cambridge.
 - 10 John F. Guinan of Milton and Carmelita C. Leahy of Boston.
 - 10 John J. Deveney of Boston and Helen M. Doyle of Milton.
 - 11 Thomas Heffron of Milton and Helen Felton of Boston.
 - 11 Theodore H. Newcomb, Jr. of Quincy and Joan MacKenzie of Milton.
 - 12 James J. Foley of Milton and Dorothy E. King of Belmont.
 - 12 Cornelius J. Cronin of Milton and Louise T. Barry of Boston.
 - 12 Ambrose F. Reinhalter of Quincy and Claire C. Murphy of Milton.
 - 14 Roderick J. Macdonald of Scituate and Mildred E. Steele of Milton.
 - 15 John Coffey of Boston and Mary Welch of Milton.
 - 17 William A. O'Mara of Quincy and Paula M. Shea of Milton.
 - 17 Roy L. Blondell of Milton and Virginia Newins of Boston.
 - 17 Peter F. Rogerson, Jr. of Milton and Paula A. Power of Belmont.
 - 17 Charles E. Brown of Holbrook and Louise D. Cooper of Milton.
 - 17 John A. Erickson of Quincy and Edith M. Allison of Milton.

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- 17 Thomas A. Whalen of Milton and Miriam F. Chisholm of Somerville.
- 18 John E. Law of Boston and Patricia Little of Milton.
- 18 Blair L. Pyne of Boston and Agnes Lammers of Quincy.
- 19 Herbert L. Campbell of Milton and Lucretia Blake of Malden.
- 23 William J. Mackie of Rockland and Vera G. Coughlin of Milton.
- 23 Robert Forbes of Milton and Barbara Fulton of Watertown.
- 24 William F. Dempsey of Weymouth and Dorothy L. Shea of Milton.
- 24 Joseph F. Cox, Jr. of Milton and Mary T. Moynihan of Worcester.
- 24 Nathan Weston of Milton and Jane Brown of Newton.
- 24 Edward M. Villard and Geraldine A. Kenney, both of Milton.
- 24 Joseph G. Lannan, J., and Kathleen M. Kenney, both of Milton.
- 24 Thomas D. Manning of Sharon and Doris F. Bertram of Milton.
- 24 Robert J. Sullivan and Barbara L. Hain, both of Milton.
- 24 Richard M. Young of Milton and Dolores R. Kyper of Rockland.
- 24 Daniel J. Wright of Milton and Elizabeth A. O'Halloran of Boston.
- 24 Joseph J. Tansey of Milton and Jacqueline C. Roy of Chicopee.
- 24 Richard Coleman of Auburn, Maine and Jacqueline F. Knapp of Milton.
- 31 James M. Morris of Boston and Jeanne W. Harvey of Milton.

- Nov. 1 Albert F. Maher of Milton and Wanda L. Sutherin of Steubenville, Ohio.
- 1 Walter Uzdavinis of Boston and Joanne R. Herron of Milton.
 - 7 Charles R. Anderson of Milton and Eleanor A. McCusker of Boston.
 - 7 Richard C. Tonner of Louisville, Ky. and Ruth G. Keyes of Milton.
 - 7 William F. Brown of Boston and Agnes T. Kane of Milton.
 - 7 Carl Garvin of Trevos, Pa. and Genevieve Ann Ferrara of Milton.
 - 11 James J. Cotter, Jr. of Milton and Mary E. Durand of Boston.
 - 14 Gerald Thomas Casey of Boston and Eleanor R. McEntee of Milton.
 - 14 Thomas Hutchinson of Boston and Ellen Comer of Milton.
 - 14 Brian J. Kely of Milton and Jeanne M. Sealund of Quincy.
 - 18 William F. Thatcher of Milton and Anna M. Garbett of Arlington.
 - 21 James A. Hanley of Belmont and Constance A. Kearney of Milton.
 - 21 Gardner B. Lorimer and Grace R. Hurshman, both of Quincy.
 - 21 George F. McSherry of Kingston and Carolyn J. McGrath of Milton.
 - 25 Gordon F. Campbell and Catherine F. Norton, both of Milton.
 - 25 Ernest A. Thebado of Milton and Esther M. McMahon of Boston.
 - 28 John W. Donovan of Boston and Lorraine M. Driscoll of Milton.
 - 28 Francis L. Marron of Stoughton and Mary A. Carroll of Milton.
 - 28 David B. Gurney and Barbara A. Lane, both of Milton.
 - 28 William A. Eva, Jr. and Edith M. Gushee, both of Milton.
 - 28 John H. Murphy, Jr. of Milton and Marjorie E. Noone of Brockton.

- Dec. 5 Caspar Tornoe and Ebba Z. Davidsen, both of Milton.
- 6 John B. Frisone of Boston and Phyllis J. Donnell of Milton.
 - 6 Richard M. Barron of Brookline and Mildred Gluck of Milton.
 - 12 Harry M. Snow, Jr. of Milton and Dolores Dalberti of Randolph.
 - 12 Theodore L. Commass, Jr. of Quincy and Evelyne A. Joleen of Weymouth.
 - 13 Russell Nickerson of Milton and Lillian D. Higgenbotham of Quincy.
 - 16 Russell H. King and Ruth S. Prentice, both of Milton.
 - 19 Vincent C. McCue of Milton and Elizabeth A. Cimino of Boston.
 - 19 Roland H. Johnson of Milton and Nancy Morris of Weymouth.
 - 19 Stanwood G. Wellington of Brookline and Hester A. Howland of Milton.
 - 26 Richard F. Carle, Jr. of Milton and Janet V. Borey of Boston.
 - 27 James E. Linn, Jr. of Stephens, Mo. and Anne E. Brown of Milton.
 - 27 John A. Sutherland of Lexington and Ann M. Cavanagh of Milton.

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DEATHS

The whole number of deaths registered in the Town of Milton for the year 1953 was 313 as follows:

Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
Jan.	1 Teresa A. Daly.....	70	—	—
	1 Eva Mathilda Glans.....	74	10	19
	3 Emily Ward	76	7	24
	6 Otto M. Peterson.....	59	10	—
	6 David Kinghorn	67	—	—
	6 Charles F. Keenan.....	65	—	—
	7 Elizabeth T. O'Neill.....	82	—	—
	8 Emily Charlotte Collins.....	68	—	—
	10 Eleanor Hobbs Kennedy.....	69	—	—
	10 Catherine A. Goode Donovan.....	72	—	—
	11 Ida Florence Gardiner.....	70	10	20
	11 Madeline Robina Bronsdon.....	78	1	0
	14 Genevieve L. Smith.....	81	4	6
	15 Walter W. Taylor.....	57	3	14
	16 Myer Goldstein	64	—	—
	18 Joseph B. Yonkers	47	—	—
	20 Frank T. Hoadley.....	64	—	—
	20 Francis J. Houston.....	64	—	—
	21 Charles H. Callahan.....	52	—	—
	23 Eva M. Whelpley.....	75	—	—
	23 Trygve J. Ledien.....	48	8	19
	25 William B. Greene.....	62	—	—
	26 Charles Barnard	8	—	—
	27 Lillian Picott Pugsley.....	85	—	—
	27 Patrick J. Delay.....	89	—	—
	30 Anna M. Baltrush.....	74	—	—
	30 Mary McKelvey	87	7	25
	31 Sarah A. Murphy.....	70	—	—
Feb.	1 Thomas A. Cunningham.....	71	—	—
	1 David Thomas Swinehart.....	3	—	—
	2 Marie E. Murray.....	59	—	—
	3 Thomas F. Smith.....	55	—	—
	5 Clara S. B. Pinkney.....	96	10	17
	5 Richard F. Tilley.....	—	—	2
	5 Leon E. Monnier.....	66	10	14
	6 James H. Kerrigan.....	66	—	—
	7 Martha Ford	69	8	26
	7 John Northon	48	—	—
	7 James A. Morgan.....	48	—	26
	8 Hiram Fife	78	—	—
	8 Minnie Bowman	65	—	—
	10 Anthony Guerriero	72	—	—
	10 Ellen Trask	86	—	—
	12 Daisy Watson	69	—	—
	14 Louis Laurie	50	—	—
	16 Ellen E. Sullivan.....	83	—	—

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Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
17	Charles Blackwood	64	—	—
17	Charlotte Matilda Hurd.....	78	1	16
18	Amelia Gioiosa	70	—	—
18	John J. Austin.....	71	—	—
18	Joseph M. Foley, Jr.....	32	5	15
20	Agnes Messerli	78	—	—
21	Barbara Wigmore	—	8	14
22	Anne M. Campbell.....	56	—	—
23	Joseph H. Blanchard.....	50	—	—
24	Katharine Swan	80	2	12
24	Ida M. Trask.....	69	—	—
25	Ann White	65	—	—
28	Sarah Jope	70	4	—
Mar.				
3	Mary Agnes Concannon	82	1	16
4	Fred Gruner	61	—	—
5	Ethel C. DeVoe	35	—	—
5	Mildred G. MacLaren	60	9	19
8	Edgar F. Powers	72	—	—
9	Helen A. Curran	81	11	—
10	Madeleine T. Norton	66	—	—
10	May E. Nickerson	74	—	—
10	Louis F. Welch.....	70	—	—
10	Grace Grigg Linscott.....	82	—	—
10	Margaret Desmond	74	—	—
11	Grace H. O'Hearn.....	65	—	—
11	Ellen B. Danick.....	86	—	—
12	Gertrude M. Wilcox.....	72	4	22
13	Mary Hansberry	75	—	—
14	Herbert A. Stebbins.....	53	—	—
14	Gladys Driscoll	61	0	18
15	Annie A. MacKinnon	81	—	—
15	Joseph P. Mahoney.....	60	3	3
19	E. Joseph Mack	56	3	27
23	James F. Hanna.....	69	—	—
23	Edward Reinhardt	77	7	20
25	Elizabeth Nathalie Applebaum	60	5	8
27	George F. Shepard	79	—	—
27	Maurice Moroney	55	—	—
28	George E. Roulston	83	—	—
29	Malcolm A. LeFevre	72	9	5
30	Lena Bell Joy.....	84	10	—
31	Walter H. Woodward	60	8	2
31	Laura L. Sullivan.....	77	—	—
31	Dennis E. O'Grady.....	61	6	19
Apr.				
1	Walter R. Crawford.....	65	—	3
1	Margaret G. Manganelli	72	—	—
2	Joseph Doyle	87	—	—
4	Theresa A. Murphy	82	4	20
6	Jessie E. Harron	83	3	17

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Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
	8 Humbert F. Ferrandi.....	64	—	—
	8 Emily F. Jenkins.....	76	—	—
	9 Baby Girl Bell.....	—	—	4
	9 Estella E. Thomas	74	1	18
	10 Melville Wood	53	—	—
	10 Georgia Anna Cave.....	82	7	28
	10 Baby boy Smith.....	—	—	½
	10 Kevin McGuire	—	—	22
	13 Helda V. Carlson.....	76	—	—
	14 George E. T. Kinsley.....	78	3	18
	14 Elizabeth Martell	57	—	—
	19 Baby girl Rutter	—	—	6
	20 Frank Smart	95	—	—
	20 James T. Gallagher.....	83	—	—
	? Thomas B. Ripton.....	43	—	—
	20 Edward J. Mullen.....	31	—	—
	21 Carl O. Olander.....	82	—	19
	21 Leo P. Fahey, Jr.....	24	—	—
	22 George G. Caldwell.....	63	8	7
	26 Betty A. Johnson.....	70	6	28
May	6 Arnold W. Peterson.....	49	—	—
	6 William F. Bannister.....	89	11	15
	6 Margaret Whelan.....	82	9	25
	7 Katherine G. Moebs.....	67	—	—
	7 Margaret B. Smyth.....	85	8	14
	8 Alice M. Hannigan.....	62	—	—
	11 Harriet F. Taylor.....	84	2	9
	12 Julius M. Bornstein.....	60	—	—
	15 Josiah G. Larrabee.....	83	—	—
	17 Anna M. Lauder.....	72	—	—
	18 Martha May Slader.....	73	9	9
	19 John J. O'Keeffe.....	68	—	—
	25 Joseph L. Murphy.....	64	—	—
	26 Edith Jewett Tyler.....	81	6	0
	27 David Frazer	69	—	19
	27 Sarah Mabel Shea.....	60	—	—
	28 Elna Jepson	86	—	—
	28 Grace G. Wright.....	85	11	—
	30 Lucy Stockwell Bullard.....	87	5	25
June	30 Frank R. Hirtle.....	40	—	—
	31 Patrick M. Guilfoyle.....	92	—	—
	1 Sarah P. Smith.....	96	1	25
	1 Charles H. Andrews.....	50	—	—
	3 Frank L. Roberts, Jr.....	30	2	8
	4 Lyvia Jenney Jordan.....	85	—	—
	4 Alice M. Marr.....	72	7	1
	6 Edmond J. Weldon.....	80	—	—
	7 Baby Boy Swift.....	—	—	3 hrs.
	9 Helen Kelley	45	11	29

VITAL STATISTICS

Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
11	Ada M. Pressey.....	70	8	2
12	Constantine J. Walters.....	66	4	8
13	Robert J. Hill.....	60	—	—
14	Mary E. Shea.....	80	—	—
15	Ida L. Ganter.....	63	—	—
16	Catherine J. Freeman.....	61	3	11
17	James F. Fay.....	73	—	—
18	Ambrose G. Gallagher.....	63	—	—
19	Richard J. Grigg.....	62	2	13
21	Joan Claire Gray.....	8	—	—
23	Guy Forest Densmore.....	88	11	11
24	Ida E. Bills.....	84	—	—
24	Helen French Brooks.....	73	4	24
28	M. Joseph Manning.....	68	—	—
29	Lillian M. Lothrop.....	79	11	1
30	Anna Hautala Johanson.....	77	—	—
July	1 C. Oscar Carlson.....	68	—	—
	2 Louise Wilson.....	75	—	—
	5 Alphonse Vitale.....	76	—	—
	6 Michael J. Monaghan.....	76	—	—
	6 Edward Boyle Manning.....	61	3	16
	7 Thomas Laidlaw.....	50	—	—
	7 Catherine A. O'Leary.....	52	—	—
	7 Annie W. Chamberlain.....	75	—	—
	12 Adolph B. Lessmann.....	61	—	—
	13 Thomas H. Tighe.....	62	3	11
	13 Grace H. Tucker.....	66	—	—
	15 Gertrude Logiodice.....	71	—	—
	16 William B. Connors.....	82	5	11
	16 Stephen Joseph Hilchey.....	—	—	12 hrs.
	16 Harry Cooke.....	86	—	—
	17 Lillian G. Carney.....	66	11	5
	17 Eveline Keith.....	82	6	24
	18 John J. Moore.....	79	—	—
	19 Robert Huff.....	19	—	—
	27 Robert J. Smith.....	55	1	—
	27 Charlotte E. Mahoney.....	74	—	—
	28 Dennis O'Leary.....	62	—	—
	28 Jacob Miller.....	75	—	—
	29 Joseph L. Downey.....	73	—	—
	29 Francis Michael Mahoney.....	19	9	4
	30 Elizabeth Jenkins.....	82	—	—
	31 Carl F. Fors.....	79	10	29
Aug.	1 Esther Breckenridge.....	63	—	—
	1 William McKelvey.....	53	—	—
	2 Emily S. Robinson.....	60	8	15
	2 Dorothy Pettie.....	43	—	—
	5 Regina G. Carroll.....	80	—	—
	7 Jessie Brown.....	81	6	6

VITAL STATISTICS

Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
9	Harry Brown	68	—	—
12	Winthrop H. Hector.....	33	—	—
13	Adelard Hetu	85	—	—
13	John F. O'Connor.....	53	7	25
13	Michael J. Mahoney.....	55	—	—
13	Thomas Mulkern	74	7	24
14	James L. Rudnick.....	7	—	—
16	Honora V. Harvey.....	59	—	—
16	A. Marie Moody.....	51	1	26
17	Joseph B. Bennett.....	66	7	16
19	Percy A. Horne.....	58	—	—
20	Charles R. Dawson.....	52	0	10
21	Walter E. Loud.....	78	11	28
21	Beverly French	28	4	22
22	Bertha L. Smith.....	68	2	4
22	Molly Halpert	62	—	—
24	William B. Towns.....	75	3	5
24	Joseph G. Kuhn.....	56	2	29
24	Joseph K. Burns.....	67	—	—
24	Mary G. Tucker.....	81	—	—
26	Mary Foley	86	—	—
29	George L. Driscoll.....	67	—	—
29	Rev. Joseph J. Keenan.....	57	—	—
29	John J. Keefe.....	79	5	10
29	Deborah Christina Bent.....	—	4	8
30	Mildred Munroe.....	13	—	—
31	Margaret E. Curran.....	65	8	—
31	William B. Davidson.....	79	—	—
Sept.	1 Horatio W. Nelson.....	72	—	—
	1 George V. Rogers.....	77	—	—
	2 Fredericka Kramer	96	1	7
	3 Daniel G. Mosher.....	65	2	13
	4 Joseph Greenfield	47	—	—
	4 Baby boy Milley.....	—	—	1 hr.
	4 Kathleen Rennie	6	8	—
	5 Iver Berger Runestrom.....	65	1	21
	7 Walter A. Dennis.....	69	—	—
	8 Millie M. Bryant.....	72	4	7
	8 David B. Maclary.....	64	6	1
	9 Frank J. Shinney.....	59	—	—
	9 Helen L. Nucci.....	39	—	—
	9 Helen Place	59	11	6
	12 Richard W. Hawkins.....	82	3	5
	12 Margaret Currie	88	—	—
	13 Joseph W. Kulda.....	59	—	—
	17 Charles Swan	78	—	—
	18 Mabel W. Adair.....	69	—	—
	21 Lee M. Finnegan.....	6	11	—
	22 Eva LaRose	76	2	17
	24 Mary G. Wilson.....	66	11	1

VITAL STATISTICS

Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
24	Gerhard G. Nelson.....	64	0	8
26	Jennie M. Gill.....	76	—	—
27	Alma R. Heron.....	52	—	—
29	Mary A. O'Brien.....	79	—	—
29	Benjamin Belitsky	62	—	—
29	Celia Hegarty	67	3	4
Oct.	1 Elizabeth C. Couch.....	82	3	9
	1 Eugenia Marsolini	70	—	—
	3 Agnes K. Watt.....	92	7	24
	5 Mary Breen	88	3	2
	6 Sarah B. Barton.....	95	4	4
	8 John F. Livezey.....	75	—	—
	9 Thomas Kelly	77	—	—
	10 George W. O'Keeffe.....	54	—	—
	14 Constant F. Gay.....	80	—	—
	15 Angelo Spugnardi	72	—	—
	16 Stephen L. Sullivan.....	56	—	—
	16 George H. McIntosh.....	80	8	14
	17 Ada A. Baynton.....	94	5	20
	18 Robert Sullivan	57	—	—
	19 John E. Whelan.....	57	5	26
	19 William Wilcox	67	8	2
	20 Ralph H. Dixon.....	73	—	—
	21 John Arthur Mahoney.....	59	—	—
	21 Theophilus E. Cushing.....	86	7	27
	26 Baby Boy Studley.....	—	—	1 hr.
Nov.	30 Baby Boy Varnerin.....	—	—	3 days
	31 Sarah C. Esau.....	75	10	24
	2 Michael T. Murphy.....	69	—	—
	2 William C. Dowling.....	73	11	—
	3 Johanna Collins	82	—	—
	3 Olive Reader	61	4	10
	4 Anne Lavin	69	—	—
	5 Isabella Webb	83	—	—
	6 Ella F. Messinger.....	72	6	13
	7 Arthur L. Barry.....	44	—	—
	8 Vivian N. Johnson.....	74	8	6
	10 John D. Brosco.....	58	4	8
	10 Harold L. Colby.....	61	5	28
	11 Catherine Terwilliger	63	—	—
	12 Gustave G. Swanson.....	64	—	—
	15 Mary Ann Dockray.....	82	5	21
	15 Thomas J. Kennedy.....	85	—	—
	16 Annie E. Richards.....	77	—	—
	17 Charlotte M. Coner.....	75	—	—
	17 Annie E. McGrath.....	70	—	—
	20 Margaret M. Shea.....	79	0	2
	22 Sarah A. Wade.....	88	—	—
	23 Vera G. Urquhart.....	59	5	30

VITAL STATISTICS

Date	Name	Years	Age	
			Months	Days
23	Emma G. Swan.....	79	5	17
28	Robert Joseph O'Brien.....	—	2	—
30	Peter J. Harkins.....	14	10	11
30	Adolph H. Fischer.....	60	—	—
Dec. 3	Zita Barker	61	—	—
8	Margaret C. Collins (Coughlin).....	75	3	10
8	Laura R. Cates (Harris).....	86	1	3
10	Josephine D. Mason.....	87	4	11
11	Thornton L. Elwell.....	47	9	15
12	Ernest James Boutilier.....	28	11	4
18	Frank H. Eastman.....	77	4	9
18	Louise Robbins	32	11	18
19	Clara Paulina Carter.....	77	1	13
19	William N. Stetson, Jr.....	65	2	22
20	Joseph B. Forsyth.....	78	8	18
27	Mary Glynn	55	—	—
27	Mary A. (McNamara) Brosnahan.....	81	—	—
27	Thomas F. Leahy.....	71	—	—
28	Elizabeth I. Irwin.....	52	10	11
31	Biagio Donatello	63	—	—

**REPORTS OF
SPECIAL COMMITTEES**

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL LIBRARY COMMITTEE
APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 33 OF THE 1953
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

October 30, 1953

To the Board of Selectmen, the Trustees of the Milton Public Library and the Milton School Committee:

The March 1953 Town Meeting passed the following vote:

"That the Town make no appropriation for the erection, equipping, and furnishing of an addition to the Central Library but that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five citizens to make further study in consultation with the Library Trustees and the School Committee with respect to an addition to the Central Library including a WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL ROOM and that said committee be authorized to employ architects and engineers to prepare preliminary plans sufficient to obtain estimates of the cost of such an addition to the Central Library; said committee to file its report with the Board of Selectmen, the Library Trustees and the School Committee on or before November 1, 1953, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting and that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the expenses of said committee."

This is the Report of the Committee appointed by the Moderator pursuant to the above vote.

Need

The Committee has unanimously come to the conclusion that an addition to the present facilities of the Central Library is needed and that the need is urgent. This conclusion is based upon the facts:

- (1) The present reading room facilities do not provide separate space for the separate needs of adults, teen-age groups and children;
- (2) The total available reading room space is inadequate;
- (3) The working space for the staff is too small;
- (4) The available room for storage of books is insufficient.

The Site

Your Committee's unanimous opinion is that the most logical and economical place for such an addition to the present Central Library is the land fronting on Reedsdale Road already owned by the Town. Your committee understands that this opinion is shared by the Planning Board, the Board of Library Trustees and the Librarian.

The Architect

In 1903 the firm of Shepley, Rutan and Coolidge designed the present Central Library. This year the same firm, now known as Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbott, have drawn plans for a proposed addition. This firm has recently

designed Lamont Library, Botany Building at Harvard University, the Library at Northeastern University, the Rare Book Library for the Harvard Law School, Alterations at Widener Library and the New England Storage Library.

World War II Memorial

Your Committee recommends:

- (1) That the large room on the right of the front entrance to the present Central Library be designated as "WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL ROOM" to commemorate those citizens of the Town who lost their lives in World War II;
- (2) That such designation be inscribed over the entrance to the room;
- (3) That a suitable inscribed plaque be placed in the room;
- (4) That the room be appropriately furnished and equipped; and
- (5) That in a section of the room there be placed World War II books and a volume of photographs—and histories if possible—of the Milton citizens who served in that War.

Description of the Proposed Addition

Your Committee believes that the proposed new addition should be a two-story building, approximately 46 feet by 58 feet, of red brick and white trim of the same general pattern as the present building; that it should provide separate reading rooms for teen-age groups and children, adequate space for book storage, suitable working areas for the staff and appropriate passage ways and connecting links to facilitate efficient use of the new and present sections as an integrated library structure.

(It might be pointed out here that the new reading rooms in the proposed addition would make the present reading and reference rooms in the old building available for separate use by adults)

Cost

The cost for the completed project includes the construction of the addition, alterations in present building, a garage for the bookmobile, development of the site, furniture and equipment and architects' and engineers' fees.

Budget

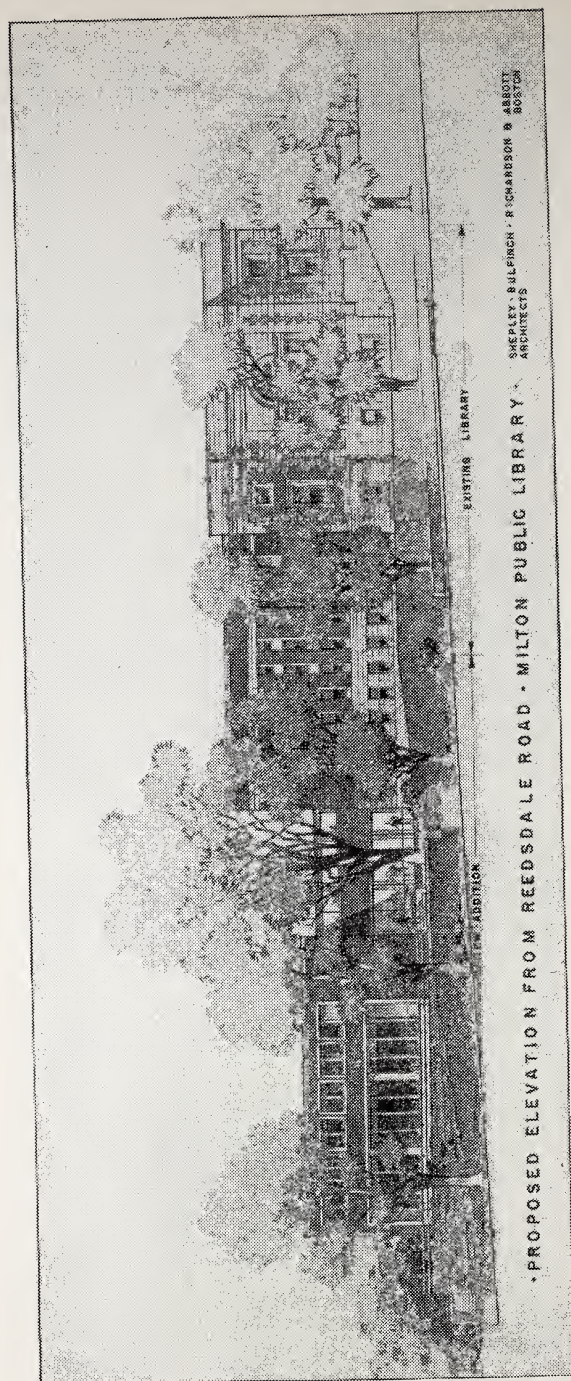
1. CONSTRUCTION COST:			
a.	New addition construction work.....	\$150,000	
b.	All Mechanical Work.....	40,000	
c.	Alteration Work	10,000	
d.	Book Stacks	20,000	\$220,000
2.	SITE DEVELOPMENT:		10,000
3.	ARCHITECTS' AND ENGINEERS' FEES.....		16,100
4.	FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT:.....		20,000
5.	INCIDENTALS, CLERK OF WORKS, INSURANCE, SURVEYS, ETC.		8,000
6.	CONTINGENCY:		25,000
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		Total Budget.....	\$299,100

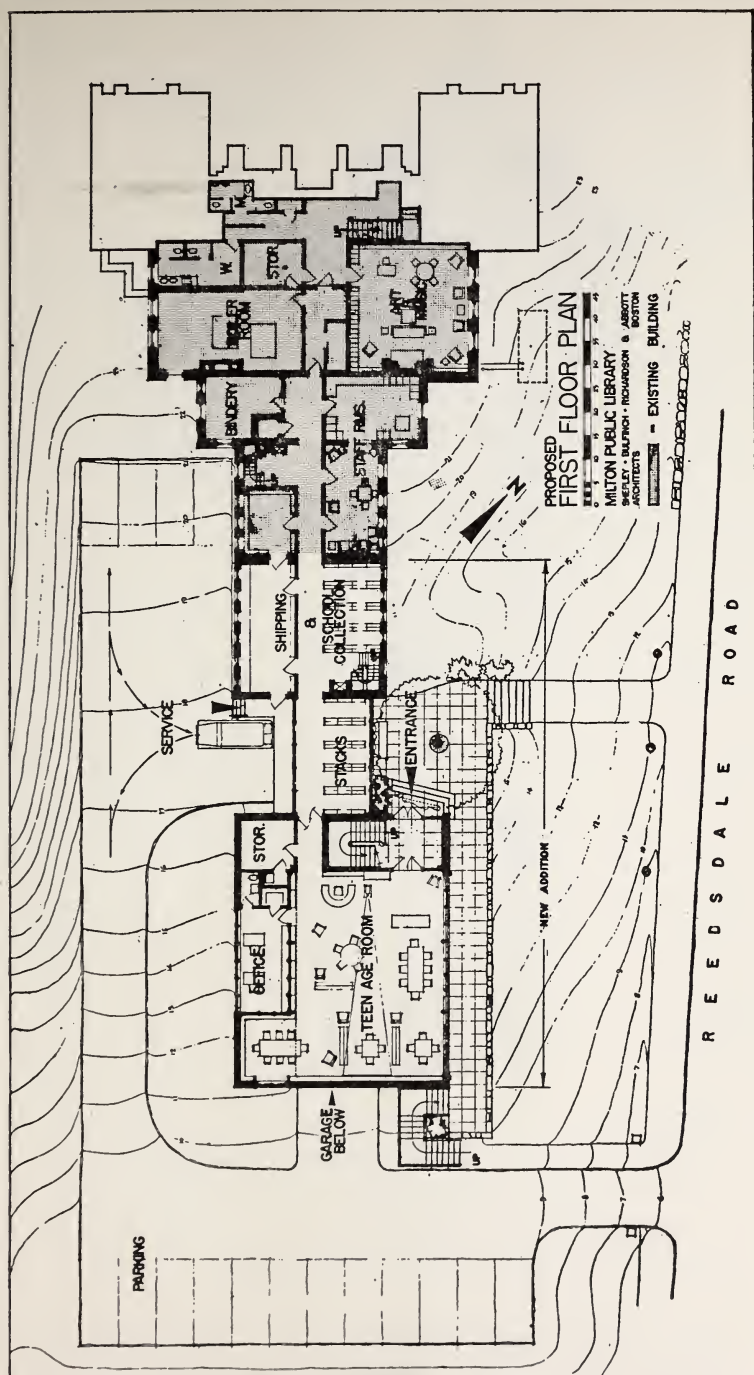
This Committee recommends:

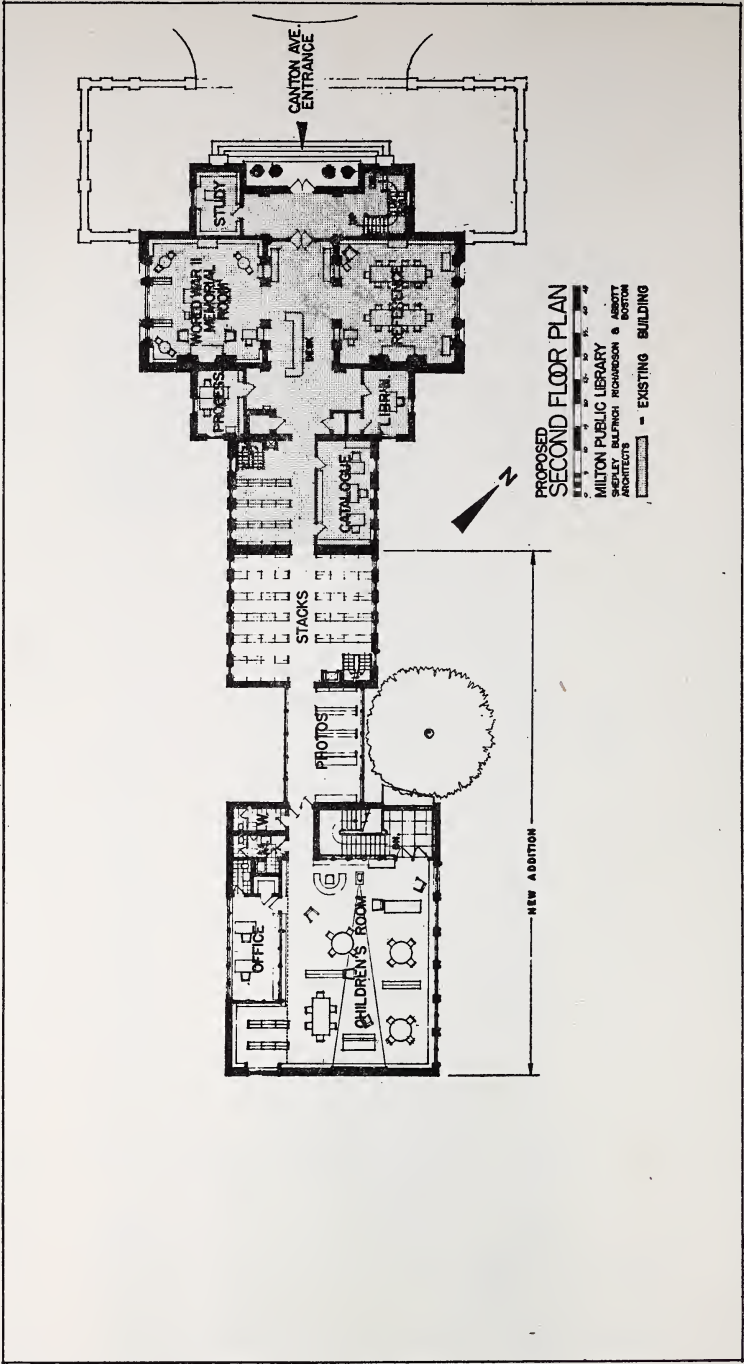
1. That the Town appropriate \$299,100.00 for the construction of an addition and alterations to the Central Library.
2. That the Town appoint a building construction committee to procure necessary plans, specifications and bids for the proposed addition to the Central Library; and supervise the construction of same.

Respectfully submitted,

COPELAND M. DRAPER, Chairman
WILLIAM J. DALY, JR., Secretary
C. RODGERS BURGIN
JOSEPH J. O'BRIEN
RALSTON B. SMYTH







**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED
UNDER ARTICLE 39 OF THE 1953
MARCH MEETING WARRANT**

157 School Street
Milton, Massachusetts
December 2, 1953

To the Selectmen of the Town of Milton:

The Committee appointed under Article 39 of the 1953 Warrant submits the following preliminary report:

We engaged Mr. Frank Crimp, of the architectural firm of Adden, Parker, Clinch & Crimp, who was already familiar with the High School Building, to develop rough sketches showing how the present inadequate locker and shower facilities could be enlarged and made suitable, and also to study the gymnasium and recommend feasible alterations or reconstruction that would provide better playing area and spectator space.

His first sketches were submitted to us in consultation with Mr. Mahoney, Chairman of the School Committee, in July. They showed the general layout of an addition to the High School Building on the Central Avenue side which would practically double the present area devoted to boys' and girls' showers and lockers and at the same time provide greatly improved arrangement and equipment. All pertinent major details of allocation of this space to various appropriate purposes were reviewed carefully by us and Mr. Mahoney, and Mr. Crimp was empowered to go ahead with a second and more complete set of sketches incorporating the provisions we agreed on, to be submitted to a joint meeting of the School Committee and our Committee for approval.

With regard to the gymnasium enlargement, the design of the present roof raised rather serious questions, both structural and aesthetic. We asked Mr. Crimp to submit the best recommendation he could, having particularly in mind the desirability of arriving finally at a plan that would appear acceptable to the townspeople as a sensible and worth-while addition to the present High School Building.

Our Committee met with the School Committee in October and Mr. Crimp then presented his revised drawings. After full review and discussion of the proposed shower and locker room layout and suggested gymnasium enlargement, the Committee reached full agreement on the following points:

- (1) The locker room layout and equipment indicated in Mr. Crimp's sketches was approved; however, Mr. Crimp was asked to check a number of technical points with the Superintendent of Schools and the athletic instructors, to be sure that final plans would meet their particular requirements adequately.
- (2) Enlargement of the gymnasium with the aim of providing larger and safer playing area and more spectator seating ought to be recommended if the cost did not prove unreasonable. Mr. Crimp was asked to submit detailed estimates of cost covering three alternate construction programs.
 - (a) The proposed enlargement and renovation of the shower, locker, toilet and related facilities, without change in the gymnasium.
 - (b) The proposed gymnasium enlargement, if handled as a separate construction project.
 - (c) Doing both jobs on one construction contract, which might prove to save the Town money.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 39

At the date of this report, we are awaiting the full breakdown of estimated costs that Mr. Crimp is preparing. As soon as these are submitted, they will be reviewed by us and by the School Committee, and a specific proposal will be presented to you. Although any figure we could mention at this time would be only approximate, we are given to understand that the total estimated cost for both the toilet and locker facilities and the gymnasium will probably be in the neighborhood of \$250,000.00.

W. P. de MILLE
Chairman
WILLIAM L. KLEHM
Chairman Pro Tem

157 School Street
Milton, Massachusetts
January 14, 1954

To the Selectmen of the Town of Milton:

The Committee appointed under Article 39 of the 1953 Warrant submits the following final report:

1. General Proposal and Recommendations

On December 2, 1953, we reported that we had reached substantial agreement with the School Committee on a general proposal for improving and enlarging the physical education facilities at the High School. Our architect, Mr. Frank Crimp of Adden, Parker, Clinch & Crimp, was to prepare layout drawings and submit them, together with cost estimates, to us for action.

These drawings and estimates have now been completed and are attached in summarized form to this report. They show a combined renovation and enlargement of existing facilities, calling for a two-story addition to the rear part of the building on the Central Avenue side and an extension of the gymnasium toward the athletic field. Though Mr. Crimp has provided separate cost estimates for these construction projects if they were not done at the same time, he recommends strongly that the entire job be done at once.

Our Committee is in full agreement with him. This badly needed improvement in the High School athletic plant is a single, unified project; we hope it will be so considered and undertaken. The School Committee is also of this view; and an article asking for an appropriation to cover the entire project is being prepared and will be submitted to the Town in the 1954 Warrant.

We believe it would be most decidedly in the best interest of the Town's present and future high school students, and for their coaches and instructors, to provide these facilities. Both the students and staff are now severely handicapped by the outmoded and inadequate space and facilities available. We urge all Town Meeting members to give favorable consideration to the proposal, not simply to remedy existing conditions, but to meet fully, yet economically, all foreseeable needs of the High School for a sound physical education plant and program.

2. Present Conditions and Needs

The space and conditions now provided are deplorable from any point of view. Residents of the Town, whether they had children in the High School or not, would probably be shocked to visit the school and inspect what we offer our youngsters in the way of toilets, showers, and lockers. They would also be embarrassed to see the cramped and ill-appearing cubbyholes we require our instructors to use as

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offices; and they would find nothing in the way of the rest and first-aid rooms that are standard safeguards in all modern schools.

The gymnasiums, one for girls and one for boys, are hopelessly cramped and hazardous. The boys' gymnasium, where varsity basketball games are played, was designed for a school population of about half the present size, and is not even big enough for a standard sized court. Seating for spectators is a make-shift arrangement of the most inadequate kind.

Maintenance and repairs withheld by false economy in the past account for only a small part of these conditions. The primary need arises from the growth of the student population to its present figure of over 1000. The ventilation, sanitation, plumbing, space, and layout of the present physical education plant simply are not adequate for a proper program for so many students; and School Committee figures indicate that even when a separate Junior High School is built, High School enrollment will continue at the same level.

On the other hand, the general design, construction, and equipment of the High School building as a whole are good; and its space and facilities, under a sound maintenance program directed by the School Committee, are or can readily be made adequate for the Town's future needs. It seems all the more important, therefore, to provide a modern physical education plant as a permanent and integral part of the present structure; a separate building would be extravagant, both in initial cost and in yearly upkeep.

3. Locker and Shower Addition

The attached drawings show that by constructing a two-story addition to the building, adjoining the present locker room and gymnasium on the Central Avenue side, more than twice the present space could be provided. At the same time, the present space itself would be thoroughly rearranged and renovated. The result would be a well-laid-out shower and locker wing, including fully adequate storage space, offices, first aid rooms, and varsity and visiting team rooms. The location is functionally excellent, and utilization of existing space reduces new construction cost. Specifications would include proper ventilation for all purposes; the exterior design would be harmonized with the present style of the building; and space, equipment, and facilities would be fully adequate for the present and future needs of a 1000-pupil high school.

4. Enlarged and Rebuilt Gymnasium

The proposed locker, shower, storage, and dressing addition has been planned as an integral part of a substantially new physical education plant for the High School, to be provided as economically and usefully as possible. Our architect has found, after exploring every possibility, that the best way to complete this plant is to extend the present boys' gymnasium out toward the athletic field for approximately 65 feet, erecting new exterior walls as shown in the drawings. In doing this, it would prove cheaper to construct a new roof than to meet the difficult structural problems of extending the present one. It would also look better, since the new flat roof would match the appearance of the main building.

The resulting space would be laid out and equipped for maximum usefulness to the school in carrying out the full-time physical education program required by statute, and would also offer many other advantages. The main gymnasium would have a folding partition across the middle, providing two separate areas for simultaneous gym classes for boys and girls, each area measuring roughly 80' x 58'. With the partition folded, a full-size basketball court would be available, with a playing surface of 50' x 84' and ample overrun space at the ends; and the folding bleachers would give a total seating capacity of approximately 800 people. Con-

siderable storage space for heavy field equipment, maintenance machinery, and the like would be provided under the gymnasium, with direct access to the athletic field.

Besides being so located as to provide ideal accessibility both to the locker areas and to the playing field, the proposed enlarged gymnasium is far less costly than a separate building would be. There is obviously not much practical value in providing modern, well-equipped and well-planned locker and shower facilities, and leaving the present cramped and dangerous gymnasiums as they are. The goal of a physical education program is active participation by all students in classes or sports on the playing area, and not simply up-to-date showers and adequate dressing space. The proposed enlargement of the gymnasium meets the first requirement of adequate space for exercises, classes, practice, and team sports; yet it keeps this space closely and properly related to the associated space given to preparatory and follow-up activities. And there is the further advantage of converting the present girls' gymnasium into much-needed space for corrective and other special physical education purposes.

In addition to being essential for a normal physical education program, the larger gymnasium would provide the Town with useful auditorium space, which would be available to various community organizations, as well as to the School. Its seating capacity when so used would probably run to 1500, considerably more than can be seated in any other space that we know of in Milton.

5. Estimated Cost With State Aid and Bonding

As the attached analyses of estimated costs show, the Town would benefit financially from undertaking this project as the single venture that it is, both architecturally and educationally. The single-job cost of \$375,000 would become \$388,000 (at least) if the enlargement of the gym were deferred; and it appears highly probable that the cost differential would be considerably more than \$13,000.

As individuals and as a committee, we have from the outset been keenly conscious of the expense factor. The effect of an expenditure of this size on the annual tax rate has influenced us strongly, both during our studies and in our conferences with our architect and the School Committee. Yet the considerations put forward in this report—the urgent needs and the practical, well-conceived solution offered—lead us to the conviction that this expenditure is sound, and we recommend it. We are satisfied that Mr. Crimp's final estimates are realistic, well-informed, and reliable; and we conclude seriously that the people of the town would benefit in full proportion to any increase in their taxes, and that the money could not be spent to better purpose.

Moreover, we have reason to believe that the Town could save a very appreciable part of this expenditure by applying to the State for financial assistance on this project and we recommend that this be done. A representative of this Committee, accompanied by Dr. Kiernan, Superintendent of Schools, discussed this matter fully with an official of the State Building Assistance Commission, who had our plans and estimates before him. This Commission, as you know, was established by statute in 1948 to provide financial aid, through reimbursement of part of the money spent, to any town in the Commonwealth undertaking school-building projects that qualified for certification by the Commission. It has approved both the Pierce and Glover Schools in Milton; for the former, a reimbursement of about \$195,000 is assured, and for the latter, the Town expects to receive about \$80,000.

The Commission official gave us full assurance that the project set forth in the attached plans was practically certain to qualify for State Aid, amounting to 20% of the cost of all construction accepted by the State as new construction. He made it clear that this approval would undoubtedly cover all construction outside the existing building; and it can be seen from the drawings that this represents a

very substantial part of the work. He further pointed out that the project would probably not be approved for State Aid unless the plans and contract called for completion of the gymnasium enlargement, since the Commission would regard this as a unified and integrated plan for improvement of the physical education program at the High School.

We were also informed that the State Building Assistance Commission has recently been enabled to begin payment of reimbursement of instalments on approved construction within one year of the starting date, instead of withholding them until the building is completed and in use. The effect of this new procedure, of course, is to provide some tax relief for the Town a good deal sooner than has been possible till now.

Besides the very material savings to be expected from a single-contract job qualifying for State Aid, we believe it would be advantageous for the Town to borrow all or part of the funds required for this project. We are informed, by copy of a letter from the Town Counsel to the Chairman of the Warrant Committee, that both options—entire or partial bonding—are open to the Town, subject to certain stipulations set forth in that letter.

This Committee believes deeply that the construction of the proposed addition to the High School Building is of major importance to the Town, and that, in view of other necessary school building projects it will face in the next decade, this new physical education plant should be provided this year. In our opinion, this action would be of direct and continuing benefit and satisfaction to the Town's High School students, its School Committee and staff, and its residents in general.

6. Conclusion

We want to acknowledge, gratefully and cordially, the invaluable help and cooperation of the School Committee and staff, the Superintendent of Schools, and our architect, all of whom have contributed heavily in time, information, and interest toward making our many conferences with them pleasant and fruitful. In submitting the report that grew out of our studies, we complete our formal service under the Article by which we were appointed.

However, we propose to continue to work cooperatively with various Town groups between now and Town Meeting time, offering to help provide information about the need for new facilities and about this proposal as a solution to those needs. We particularly invite Town Meeting members, as representatives of the people of Milton, to call on any member of this Committee for pertinent information, which we shall be glad to provide.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. DE MILLE, *Chairman*
WILLIAM KLEHM
NORTON MULLEN

MILTON HIGH SCHOOL NEW GYMNASIUM AND LOCKER ROOMS

Analysis of Estimated Cost January 5, 1954

General Contract	\$336,500.00
Planning and Supervision.....	30,000.00
Insurance	1,000.00
Bidding Expense	500.00
Equipment	3,000.00
Contingencies	4,000.00
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Appropriation Required	\$375,000.00

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MILTON HIGH SCHOOL NEW LOCKER AND SHOWER FACILITIES

Analysis of Estimated Cost January 5, 1954

General Contract	\$159,700.00
Planning and Supervision.....	15,000.00
Insurance	750.00
Bidding Expense	500.00
Contingencies	3,050.00
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Appropriation Required	\$179,000.00

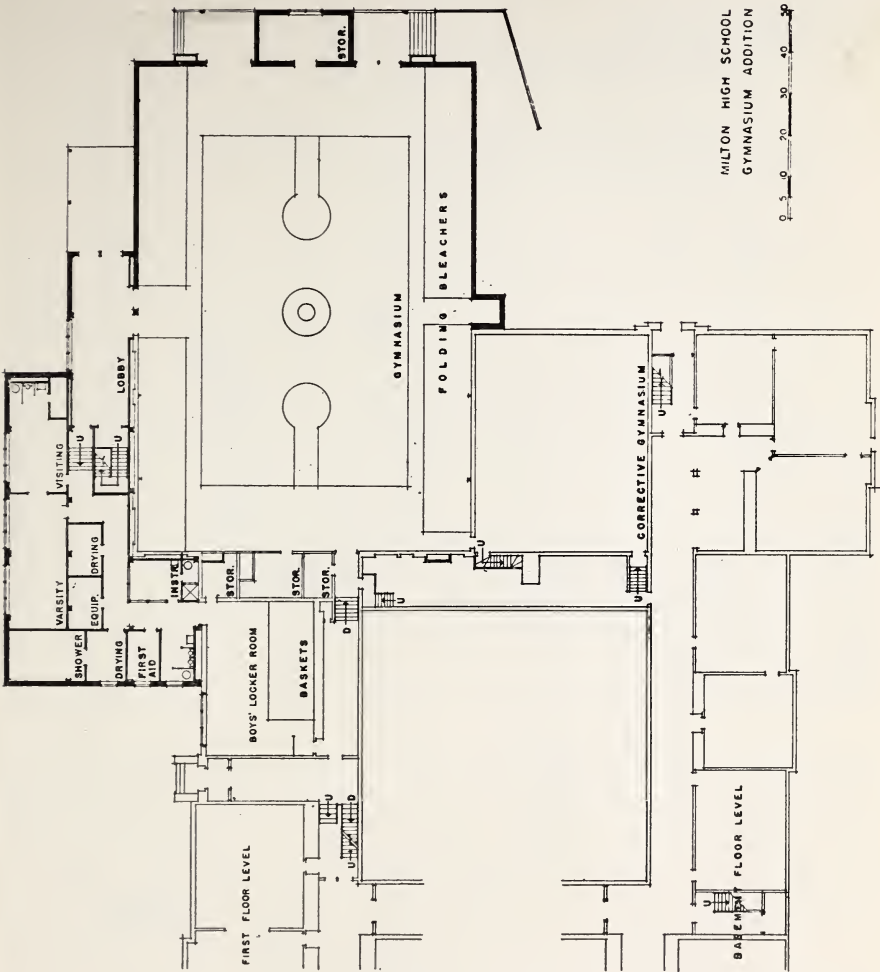
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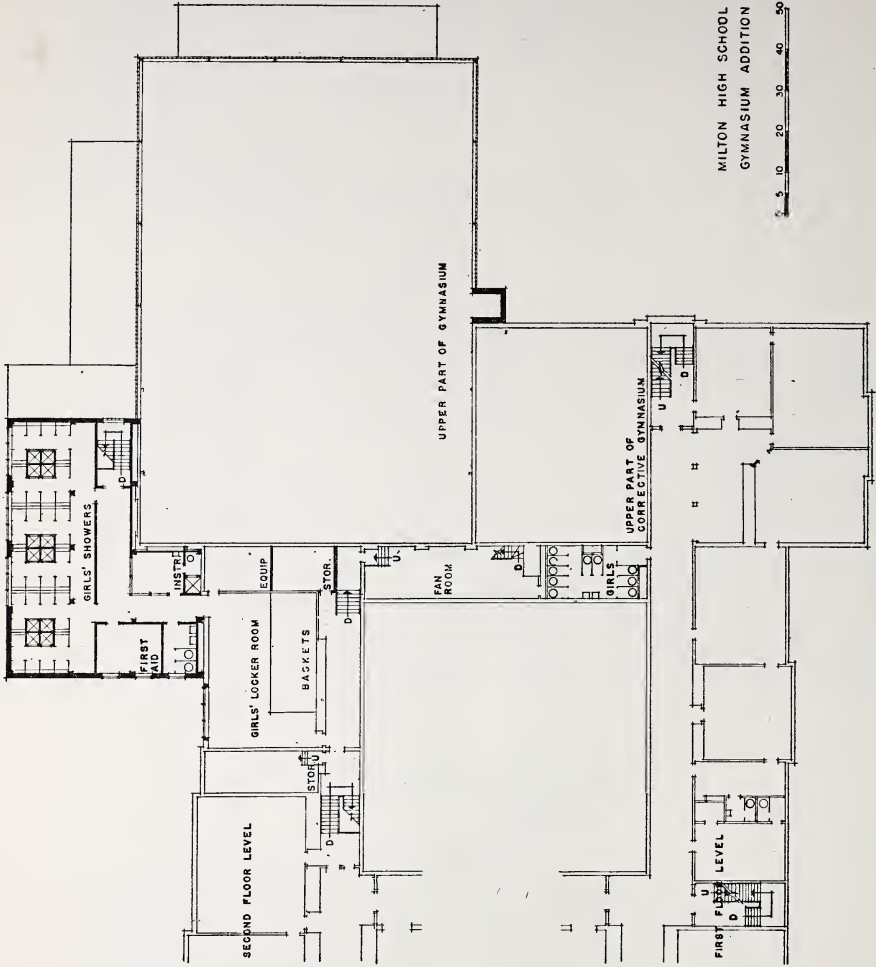
MILTON HIGH SCHOOL NEW GYMNASIUM

Analysis of Estimated Cost January 5, 1954

(If constructed after new locker and shower facilities are constructed)	
General Contract	\$185,600.00
Planning and Supervision.....	16,500.00
Insurance	750.00
Bidding Expense	500.00
Equipment	3,000.00
Contingencies	2,650.00
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Appropriation Required	\$209,000.00

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**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED
UNDER ARTICLE 41 OF THE 1953
MARCH MEETING WARRANT**

Milton, Massachusetts
November 6, 1953

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Committee appointed by the Moderator under authority of Article 41 of the March 1953 Warrant to study the uses that can be made of the Vose School property and the Glover School property, submits its report herewith.

In September of this year the new Glover School was opened for class work. The old Glover School is now vacant and is no longer required for school purposes. The Vose School has been vacant for over a year with the opening of the Charles Sumner Pierce School in the fall of 1952. The recommendations of this committee as to these buildings follows:

GLOVER SCHOOL. This school building is a wooden structure built 65 or more years ago. In addition to being a fire hazard, it would appear that it has exceeded the period of economic life for use as a school or for any other purpose. It is the understanding of this committee that the School Department has no further use of the building or of the land on which it is situated. The land does not appear suited to any other Town use. It is located on School Street, a narrow street in a strictly residential area. The locus is in zone B under the Town zoning law and the area of the parcel on which the school is situated is 22,500 sq. ft., only slightly larger than the 20,000 sq. ft. minimum lot area for residential construction purposes in this zone. It would thus appear that the most satisfactory use of this land would be for residential purposes. It is the unanimous recommendation of this committee that the land be sold with the stipulation that the purchaser shall remove the present school building within a period of six months from the date of taking title and that the purchaser be required to post a bond guaranteeing removal of the building within said period.

VOSE SCHOOL. The problem of what should be done with the Vose School building is a difficult one to solve. While this building is an old structure having been built in the late nineteenth century, it is a substantial building in fairly good condition. In 1949 a committee was appointed to study what disposition might be made of the building when it was no longer required for school purposes. This 1949 committee feeling that the building might be remodeled and renovated for use as a town office building, made a study of space requirements and desires of various town departments and found that at that time many of the departments felt that they could use additional space.

An architectural firm was employed to prepare sketches and obtain estimates of the cost of alterations which would be needed to provide suitable office space for these departments. The estimated cost of the 'proposed change was \$105,000.00 with an additional cost of about \$7,200.00 to convert the coal-fired burners to burn #5 fuel oil. On the basis of the plans prepared by the architects a tentative assignment of space was made to the following departments: School, Water, Sewer, Engineering, Planning Board, Building, Welfare, and Assessors. Under this plan about 86% of the usable area of the first and second floors of the building (exclusive of the assembly hall) would have been occupied. About 42%

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of this assigned space was to have been occupied by the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Your present committee had this report of the 1949 committee at its disposal. Inquiry indicated that increases in the cost of labor and materials would bring the present day cost of the alterations proposed in 1949 including conversion of the coal-fired burners to something in the vicinity of \$135,000.00-\$140,000.00.

Shortly after commencing its study, your committee learned that the School Department no longer was interested in using space in the Vose School building for the office of the Superintendent of Schools. The feeling being that the space presently provided for in the high school building was adequate and satisfactory. The withdrawal of this space assigned to the School Department in the renovation plans from use would leave only about 49% of the usable area on the first and second floors occupied.

While it is undoubtedly true that the other town departments could make efficient use of more space than they now have available, your committee feels that their need for additional space at the present time is not urgent enough to justify the expenditure of \$135,000.00-\$140,000.00 in remodeling a 60 year old building into an office building particularly when less than one-half of the usable floor area would be occupied. Even with the expenditure of this money it would still be an old building not designed for the uses to which it would be put.

There also seems to be a feeling in the Town that in the not too distant future the inadequacy of the present Town Hall will become apparent and that it will have to be replaced at which time a modern building should be erected with sufficient space for an adequate meeting hall and necessary town offices.

There remained the question of whether there was any reasonable prospect that the Town might be able to make some other practical use of the building within the next few years. The committee felt that the only possibility of such use would be for school purposes and the matter was taken up with the Superintendent of Schools and members of the School Committee. It is the opinion of the School Committee that no possible school use of this building could be made now or in the future. In a letter to the Chairman of this Committee, the Superintendent of Schools states as follows: "Because of the location of the new Glover and Pierce Schools and the proximity of the residential district in the Vose School area to both institutions, it would be unlikely that any future redistricting plan would involve the reopening of the Vose building for classroom purposes. Of considerable more importance, however, from our point of view, is the question of adequacy involving educational, health, and safety aspects in the use of an old building. It is our feeling that the Vose School has served the community well, but that the wise decision on the part of the School Committee and the Town Meeting members to discard the building in favor of the new Charles Sumner Pierce School (as voted in March 1950) established a proper direction in school plant planning. It is questionable whether it would be sound economy to remodel a building constructed in the last century. In communities where this has been done, the undertaking has proved most costly, classroom space remained static, and the end result was an old building with a modern face."

The present Vose School building is insured for about \$202,000.00 and the annual expense for this insurance is understood to be \$1,273.00. Like any unoccupied building it will deteriorate rapidly if permitted to stand idle and provides a great temptation to vandalism.

Since there appears to be no present practical use to which the building might

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be put and no reasonable prospect of such use in the foreseeable future, your committee unanimously recommends that the Vose School building be torn down and that the land on which it is situated be retained by the Town as part of the Town Center area for such use as may later develop.

Your committee has obtained an informal estimate of \$3,700.00 as the cost of tearing the building down. This would be approximately the cost of insuring the building at the present rate for three years.

Respectfully submitted,

MELVIN E. DOLAN, Chairman
ROLAND S. FULTON
WARREN A. STEBBINS

REPORT OF THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Milton:

Your Committee authorized under Article 55 of the Town Meeting of March 11, 1950 has carried on its work to completion. The building was occupied by the School Department at the beginning of the school year 1952.

In all \$974,000.00 was appropriated for this work.

The completed building and grounds cost \$972,817.09.

Some of the larger items that made up the cost were Plumbing \$41,555.00; Heating and Ventilating \$120,746.00, Electric Work \$58,763.00, Equipment \$68,893.41, Architect fees for building and landscape work \$58,092.48.

The Committee is greatly indebted to Mr. Frank W. Crimp of the Architectural Firm of Adden, Parker, Clinch & Crimp for his cooperation.

ERNEST E. ERICKSON
JOSEPH D. LELAND
WILLIAM B. CROSBY
TIMOTHY G. RYAN
JOSEPH C. MAHONEY

REPORT OF FIRE STATION CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

MILTON FIRE STATION CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

May 5, 1953

Final Report

Board of Selectmen of the Town of Milton:
Gentlemen:

At the March 8, 1952 Town Meeting a vote was passed which authorized the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to be known as the Milton Fire Station Construction Committee "to continue to function . . . until the fire station is constructed and all work in connection therewith is . . . fully performed . . ." Pursuant to that authorization the Moderator appointed the undersigned as such Committee.

The same March 8, 1952 vote also authorized the Committee to employ an architect, to advertise and secure bids and to let contracts for the erection, equipping and furnishing of a fire station to be located on the site of the old fire station in East Milton; and appropriated the sum of \$90,000.00 therefor.

The same vote empowered the Committee to provide for the temporary housing of men and equipment of the old station pending completion of construction of the new building and appropriated \$10,000.00 for that purpose.

The undersigned Committee submits this, its final, report covering the period between March 8, 1952 and May 5, 1953. This report follows the form of, and repeats much that was said in, the Committee's Interim Report of March 14, 1953 and covers the following topics.

1. The Architect and the Contractor;
2. Expenditures; and
3. Acknowledgments.

1. *The Architect and the Contractor*

The firm of Sturgis Associates, Inc., of which Mr. Alanson H. Sturgis of Milton is a member, was employed as the architect to design the station and supervise its construction.

The lowest, and therefore the successful, bid for the construction of the new station was that of John Rugo. His bid was in the original amount of \$80,500.00 and in the final amount (due chiefly to adjustments of subcontracts and addition of items not covered by the original contract) of \$81,661.36.

2. *Expenditures*

Of the \$10,000.00 appropriated for the temporary housing of men and equipment during construction of the new fire station, a total of \$2,606.41 has been expended or earmarked for expenditure, leaving an unused balance to be returned to the Town of \$7,393.59.

The above sum of \$2,606.41 covers the following items:

Rent (temporary housing for men and engines).....	\$2,204.75
Electricity	161.75
Materials	117.71
Furnishings	41.30
Moving	51.50
Anti-freeze	29.40

Total \$2,606.41

REPORT OF FIRE STATION CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

Of the \$90,000.00 appropriated for the construction, equipping and furnishing of the new fire station, a total of \$88,946.41 has been expended or earmarked for expenditure, leaving an unused balance to be returned to the Town of \$1,053.59.

The above sum of \$88,946.41 covers the following items:

Photo	\$ 5.00
Wrecking	275.00
Contractor	81,661.36
Architect	3,044.00*
Advertising	38.15
Insurance	129.48
Materials and supplies.....	605.99
Furniture and kitchenette equipment.....	1,608.98
Emergency lighting equipment.....	800.00
Air compressor and accessories.....	230.33
Curbing and blacktop.....	448.12
Planting	100.00
<i>Total</i>	<hr/> \$88,946.41

* includes \$138.84 for additional plans and \$5.48 for disbursements

From the foregoing it will be seen that, out of the two appropriations aggregating \$100,000.00 (\$10,000.00 for temporary housing and \$90,000.00 for construction and equipment), a total of \$8,447.18 is to be returned to the Town.

3. Acknowledgements

The Committee appreciates the resourcefulness of Mr. Alanson H. Sturgis in planning a sturdy, functional fire station to fit the prescribed site and to fit the Town's appropriation therefor. The Committee also appreciates his diligent and conscientious supervision of the building's construction.

The Contractor is to be commended for expediting the construction work after the early delays caused by our inability to obtain Federal priorities for requisite steel and copper.

The Committee is grateful for the friendly and helpful cooperation which it has received from the Board of Selectmen, from Fire Chief Fred E. Whelan, from Mr. Marshall McMillan of the Wire Department and from Mr. Fred N. Krim, the Town Accountant. The Committee is also grateful for the helpful suggestions received from Mr. M. Joseph Manning, a former member of the Milton Fire Department.

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR W. HAUSERMANN, Chairman
RALPH S. HALL
PAUL F. OCHS

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE—MARCH MEETING

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE MARCH MEETING, 1953

February 17, 1953

Pursuant to Chapter 3, Section 4 of the Town Bylaws, the Warrant Committee respectfully submits its recommendations on the Articles in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

A comparison of Department requests and Warrant Committee recommendations is indicated on a schedule in the back of this report.

In accordance with long-established practice, all persons desiring to be heard on any Article appearing in the Warrant have had the opportunity of presenting their case, and all Articles have been carefully reviewed by the appropriate subcommittee as well as the full Warrant Committee.

The Town will recall that last year it proved necessary to increase the appropriations for the various departments and to provide funds for special projects with a resulting substantial increase in the tax rate. Although many of the factors that called for the increase last year are still in effect, a few were of a non-recurring nature and some no longer operate with the same strength. Last year new buildings, particularly the new Glover School and the Fire Station, required substantial appropriations. This year the Warrant Committee is not including in its recommendations any substantial item of new construction, other than the usual provision for new sewers. Furthermore, for the first time in several years, the annual estimate made to the Town by Tax Commissioner Henry F. Long, indicates that instead of the Town being required to make a substantial contribution to the State, a small amount will be available for distribution to the Town by the State.

Although many of the Departmental budgets are up to a small extent, due to increases in the cost of products which they use, your Warrant Committee believes that the general affairs of the Town can be carried on with the usual high standards for about the same as last year.

In each year the Town must determine by vote the amount to be used from the Town's Excess and Deficiency Account. The sum so voted operates to reduce the amount which is required to be included in the tax levy. This year this fund of so-called "free cash" which is available to the Town for its use in setting the tax rate amounts to a total of \$467,000. After consultation with the Board of Assessors, your Warrant Committee recommends that the sum of \$280,000 be appropriated from available funds. This sum is approximately the same percentage of free cash as was recommended for use last year and is, we believe, the maximum which can be taken to reduce the tax rate without impairing the Town's working balance. If the recommendations of your Committee are sustained, we estimate, based on figures furnished by the Board of Assessors, that the tax rate will be about \$47.00, a decrease of \$1.40 from the 1952 rate of \$48.40.

Wages and Salaries

In accordance with the recommendations of the 1952 Warrant Committee in its report to the Town prior to the 1952 March Meeting, the subcommittee on Wages and Salaries of the 1953 Warrant Committee organized shortly after the Warrant Committee was appointed and started a complete review of the basic wages and salaries of the Town employees, other than the instructional staff of the School Department.

The subcommittee made known to all department heads and through them to the Town employees that meetings would be frequently held during the summer

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at which department heads, groups and individuals could present their requests and the reasons therefor, for adjustments in their basic wages and salaries. In all, ten such meetings were held between May 27th and the middle of October. A large number of governing boards, department heads, employee groups and individuals appeared before the subcommittee to request increases in wages and salaries and in some instances to request that formal vacation and sick leave plans be recommended to the Town for adoption.

Early in June the subcommittee initiated a survey to determine the rates which were being paid during 1952 for similar positions in Towns comparable to Milton. Twelve towns, some larger and some smaller than Milton, were requested to furnish this information and the response to these requests was gratifying and complete. The data so obtained were correlated and used by the subcommittee in considering the entire subject.

After full and serious consideration of all the requests and a study of the data obtained from outside towns, the subcommittee came to the following conclusions:

1. That the Compensation Plan established in 1947 was well thought out and developed and has served the Town excellently since it has been in use.
2. That the Compensation Plan should be retained with such modifications as might be needed to reflect the present cost of living.
3. That generally the compensation of our Town employees for similar positions, with the exception of some positions in the higher salary brackets, compared favorably with the other towns surveyed.
4. That the 1952 base pay schedule, including the cost-of-living adjustments then in effect, provided for positions in the lower grades more than the increase in the cost of living since the start of the plan, but considerably less than this increase for those positions in the higher brackets.
5. That a uniform vacation plan should be recommended for all Town employees, except school teachers and principals.

Recommendations based on these conclusions were presented to and considered by the full Warrant Committee. After due deliberation at several meetings it was voted to recommend to the Town that appropriations for wages and salaries be based on a new wage and salary schedule, effective as of January 1, 1953 but computed so as to reflect increases in the cost of living from January 1947 to January 1952 as shown by the Massachusetts Index. The cost of living rose approximately 20% from January 1947 when the first plan became effective, to January 1952. A new schedule was prepared on this basis and furnished to all governing boards and department heads.

The new base rates include all cost-of-living adjustments effective last year, including the 1.2% adjustment of October 1952. These rates have been set so that all employees will receive not less than 20% more than the rates established in 1947, but also so that in general no employee will receive less than his or her position paid at the end of 1952. Your Warrant Committee believes that the new scale will compensate employees of the Town of Milton fairly in comparison with the compensation paid by other towns, that it will reimburse them adequately for the duties performed, and therefore recommends that the amounts set for salaries and wages in the various budgets be approved as shown in the recommendations following the several Articles in the Warrant. It is estimated that the cost to the Town of the increases recommended will be approximately \$24,000 annually. In comparing the amounts recommended for the several budgets for 1953 with the 1952 appropriations attention is called to the fact that each budget now includes the cost-of-living adjustments voted at the last March meeting under a separate article and effective in 1952.

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Requests for changes in grade for many positions in the Town plan were received. Each request was thoroughly and fully considered, both by the subcommittee and the full committee, on the basis of the duties and the responsibilities of the position. As in previous years it was found that some changes were desirable and they have been taken into account in the recommendations for each department.

Your Warrant Committee gave careful consideration to the establishment of a uniform vacation plan for Town employees, other than teachers and principals. In recent years the Legislature has passed Acts providing for specified vacation plans. These Acts are operative in the various cities and towns of the Commonwealth only so far as each city and town may adopt them. Milton has adopted only the act providing for a minimum vacation of 1 week after 6 months. We think it unnecessary to adopt any other acts. We are advised by Town Counsel that where a special act has not been adopted, the matter of vacations is in the hands of the governing boards or department heads of each department of the Town. We believe that the Town would be well advised to continue to leave the matter of vacations in the hands of each department. However, we recommend as a guide to each department that there be some degree of uniformity. To that end we suggest that vacations with pay be given substantially on the following basis:

- a. For service of more than one year but less than fifteen years—two weeks;
- b. For service of fifteen years or more—three weeks.

We believe that a rigid system without departmental discretion operates neither to the advantage of the Town or of the employees.

We believe that the same considerations apply to the matter of sick leave as well and that the determination as to when sick leave with pay should be granted and as to how long it should continue, be left to the judgment of each department head. This has been the method in operation in the Town for many years, and we believe that it has worked well and has not placed any undue burden either upon the Town or upon particular employees.

As explained above, the base wages and salaries have been set so as to meet increases in the cost of living which have occurred between January 1947 and January 1952, using as a guide in establishing the new rate the Massachusetts Cost-of-Living Index. It is common knowledge that although the cost-of-living index went up a little in 1952 it has now receded so that at the time when this report is written it stands at a rate which is .7% below that in effect in January 1952.

We feel that under ordinary circumstances salaries and wages of Town employees should be reviewed at annual intervals and that recommendations should be made to the Town at its Annual Meeting for such changes as seem to be appropriate. In recent years extraordinary economic circumstances have indicated the wisdom of providing some additional cushion. We believe that the inflationary pressures have now eased and that it is no longer necessary for the Town to depart from the sound policy of making its budgetary arrangements but once a year. In view of the fact that there has been no increase in the cost of living over January 1952 and considering the greater stability of our economy generally we believe that there is no need for any appropriation for a cost-of-living adjustment in the current year.

General Government

The only significant change appearing in this category is a reduction in the budget for Insurance. Last year the Insurance budget was up sharply due to increases in premium costs following the recommendations of a special committee and the inclusion in the Insurance budget of an item providing coverage for the new Charles Sumner Pierce School. The greater part of the expense due to the

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revised Insurance coverage was cared for in last year's budget and accordingly the renewals for the year 1953 more nearly approach the average of preceding years.

Civil Defense

For several years this important activity has been maintained on a standby basis. Your Warrant Committee feels that this policy should be continued and recommends this year an appropriation which will provide for ordinary administrative expense and will in addition provide for the purchase of three additional air raid sirens because it has been found that in certain areas the present sirens do not adequately serve the Town.

Protection of Persons and Property

Police

In recent years it has been the practice of this Department to replace its cruising cars on a program which calls for the purchase of three cars in one year and four cars in the next. Due to increased use of the fourth cruising car and to the fact that the Town now has a detective department it is recommended that in this year four cruising cars be replaced at a net cost of approximately \$4,140.00. The department has requested that additional patrolmen be provided in order to insure 24 hour foot coverage in the Mattapan section of the Town and to provide a man who can fill in during vacation periods and in the event of sickness, and also to provide additional assistance in the carrying on of important detective work. Your Warrant Committee believes that these additional men are desirable and accordingly has recommended an appropriation to provide for the employment of two additional patrolmen.

Fire

The Fire department now has seven pieces of mobile fire-fighting apparatus.

These are:

1. Engine #2, purchased in 1934.
2. Brush Fire Wagon known as Combination #4, purchased in 1938.
3. Engine #1, purchased in 1940.
4. Ladder #2, purchased in 1943.
5. Engine #4, purchased in 1944.
6. Ladder #1, purchased in 1948.
7. Combination #1, purchased in 1950.

After careful study of the situation, considering the age of some of the equipment, and considering also the increase in the number of dwellings for which protection is required, the Fire department feels that for proper coverage of the Town, a new piece of equipment should be acquired. Accordingly the department recommends, and your Warrant Committee concurs in the recommendation, that a new 750 gallon pumper be purchased to be located in the East Milton station, and that Engine #2, now at East Milton, be transferred to the Blue Hill Avenue station, where it is to be kept on standby, to be available in the case of an emergency and on all multiple alarms. It is further recommended that the 1938 Brush Fire Wagon which is now in need of major repairs be turned in at the time of the purchase of the new pumper. The department estimates that the net cost of the pumper will be \$18,000.

The department's budget also includes an item of \$2,305 for the purchase of new hose, part of which will be needed for the new pumper and part of which will replace hose which was badly damaged at the time of the Hendrie's fire last summer. The balance of this appropriation will maintain the program of replacing some hose annually.

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Wire

As part of its regular work of maintaining the Police and Fire Signal systems this department this year proposes to install six new fire alarm boxes and to replace some of the signal cable on Thacher Street, on Blue Hill Avenue from the Fire Station to Robbins Street and on Dollar Lane from Canton Avenue to Blue Hill Avenue.

The great flow of automobile traffic on Adams Street has created a serious problem for residents of East Milton in crossing that street at the intersections of Church and Mechanic Streets. The problem is made acute by the fact that many school children find it necessary to cross the street at this particular point on their way to and from school, at times when there may not necessarily be a police officer in attendance. It is proposed therefore, to install a flashing traffic control light at the corner of Church and Adams Street, which will turn red and yellow by the operation of push button pedestrian controls only. This light would be timed to operate in synchronization with the traffic signal at East Milton Square. We believe that this is a desirable addition to the traffic control program of the Town and will provide greater safety for both adults and children in the particular area in question.

The department has also requested the replacement of the 1948 Plymouth Sedan used by the superintendent of the department. This car is in need of major repairs and in keeping with what we believe to be a proper policy of replacing equipment we recommend the appropriation of funds sufficient to acquire a similar type of new car.

Forestry

Once again the budget for this department includes funds for the control of Dutch Elm Disease and for Gypsy Moth work, as well as the usual provisions for care and maintenance of the Town's trees.

Mosquito Control

There are two separate Articles in the Warrant, each dealing with mosquito control. Under the first, Article 16, it is recommended that the sum of \$500 be appropriated. This is Milton's share of the amount of the cost of drainage works in the marshes of the Neponset River and is required by State statute. The second, Article 17, represents a request by the Selectmen for an appropriation to provide for aerial spraying of the entire area of the Town. Experience in other towns has proven the value of this kind of spraying for the general control of the mosquito nuisance. We believe with the Selectmen that this is a project which should be tried and accordingly recommend the appropriation of \$1,800 for the purpose.

Health

General

For several years it has been the policy of the Board of Health to let contracts for the removal of ashes, trash and garbage for periods of three years. The most recent three year contract expires in May of this year. That contract was entered into in 1950 and called for the annual appropriation of approximately \$35,000 per year. Several factors have made it impossible for the Board of Health to let a new contract for a figure in any way comparable to the old figure. In the first place the cost of labor involved in the removal of trash and garbage has increased considerably. Secondly, as we all know, a new and serious hog disease has raised grave doubts as to whether it will continue to be possible to use garbage for piggeries. Finally, the Board of Health has felt it wise to impose additional requirements in connection with the disposal contract so as to provide better service to the citizens at large. The Board of Health has advised us that after advertising

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for bids they have accepted a bid for a new three year contract at an annual cost to the Town of \$86,820. Since the new contract will not commence until May of this year, only the sum of \$69,630 will be required to provide for the removal of garbage, ashes and other trash in the present year. Your Warrant Committee recommends the appropriation of this sum.

Due to recent legislation and also to the increase in the size of the Town the duties of the Board of Health have increased considerably over the last few years. Accordingly the Board of Health believes that the time has come when they should employ a permanent administrative head on a full time basis. Your Warrant Committee concurs in this conclusion and accordingly an amount has been included in the budget for this purpose.

Site for the Disposal of Rubbish

Under Article 21 of the 1952 March Meeting a special committee was appointed to consider the advisability of providing a town-owned site for the disposal of rubbish by citizens and by the Town contractor. This committee has made a careful study and has reported its conclusions to the Board of Selectmen. The committee recommends that the Town acquire either by purchase or by eminent domain, a lot of land containing about 33¼ acres situated off Quarry Lane, known as the Dalerio land. This particular lot is and for a great many years has been used as a private dump and is presently the place where by arrangement with the owners, the Town contractor dumps ashes and trash collected from the various houses in the Town. Both the Board of Health and the Selectmen join in this recommendation.

For many years the Town has owned a tract of land off Lyman Road which was formerly used as the Town dump. This lot consists of about 30 acres of land on which are located several old quarry holes. The physical condition of this tract is such that it is improbable that it will be used for building for many years to come. In recent years a number of residences were built in the general vicinity of the Lyman Road tract and following complaints received from residents in the vicinity the Selectmen closed the area to dumping several years ago. The Planning Board has advised us that they do not recommend the taking of the Dalerio land because they believe that the old Lyman Road dump can be re-opened and will be available and useful as a dumping site for many years to come. The Planning Board also called to our attention the fact that in the next few years there may well be an incinerator built under the auspices of the Metropolitan District Commission somewhere in the vicinity of Milton, or perhaps in Milton, which would provide, under present plans, for the disposition of refuse from part of Dorchester and Quincy.

After considering all of these factors your Warrant Committee joins in the recommendation of the Selectmen, the Board of Health and the special Dump Site Committee, although we realize the force of the argument that the Town already has 30 acres of land available for dumping. We are not unmindful of the fact that dumping can hardly be permitted in that part of the Lyman Road area which is close to existing houses, nor the fact that dumping in the Lyman Road area would require trucks and others wishing to go there, to pass through already built-up streets. We believe that the Quarry Lane site will be accessible with a minimum amount of disturbance to residents in the general neighborhood. We are fortified also in our conclusion by considering that even if an incinerator were built, there is much refuse which cannot easily be burned and even an incinerator itself produces slag which in turn must be dumped. Furthermore, if it should ever become necessary for the Town itself to build an incinerator, and we hope this will not happen, the Quarry Lane site would provide a proper location for such a structure, well removed from existing dwellings in the area where it would cause a minimum of disturbance.

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Water and Sewer

In last year's budget for the Water Department an item was provided for an Engineer's survey to study the improvement of water supply on the Canton-Randolph border in the Houghton Pond area of the Town. This year the Water Department recommends that the Town authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to enter into a mutual agreement with the Town of Canton. By the terms of this agreement Milton will maintain certain existing Canton mains and will operate a part of the Canton Water System. In return Canton will pay the cost of water used, plus 10%, in an area which is specifically described in Article 23 of this year's Warrant. We are advised that the contract will also contain a provision that it may be terminated by either Town upon proper notice. The purpose of such an agreement is to provide a better circulation of water to the houses in the Houghton Pond area and also an increased supply, thus improving fire protection as well as improving service to this area. We believe that the contract should be made.

The budget of the Water Department also includes an amount recommended to cover the purchase of a new station-wagon type automobile in order to increase the efficiency of the department.

We think it worthy of note that the cost of sewer betterments assessed to abutters has not been changed since the early 1930's. We are advised however, that the Board of Sewer Commissioners now has under consideration a revision of the schedule of betterment assessments with a view to bringing such assessments more nearly in line with current costs.

Cemetery

The appropriations, recommended for this department include amounts for re-seeding, grading and other customary expenses. Provision is also made for contract development to provide an additional 100 lots. The budget also includes an item of \$1,487 to replace a 1940 International pick-up truck with a new half-ton truck equipped with an hydraulic dump body.

Last year the Town appropriated a sum for the rental of a grave-digging machine at a unit price of \$15 per grave. The use of this equipment was made on an experimental basis and has proved to be satisfactory. The Trustees recommend that this be continued for another year and your Warrant Committee concurs.

Pine Tree Brook Improvement

For many, many years Pine Tree Brook has been a source of difficulty and trouble to the Town. At times it has overflowed its banks and at other times it has run at such a low level that stagnant pools have been formed serving as a breeding place for mosquitos and causing noxious odors. In 1940 an appropriation was made for the Planning Board to provide a comprehensive study of the brook between the Neponset River and the Metropolitan District Commission Pond at the corner of Canton Avenue and Blue Hills Parkway. The Planning Board employed the services of Howard M. Turner, an hydraulic and consulting engineer, who made a detailed survey and report. However, the war intervened and it proved impossible to take any steps to put this plan into operation. Nevertheless the subject has not been neglected. The engineering department of the Town in recent years has made further surveys and has prepared plans for a stream clearance project which would alleviate many of the existing difficulties. In 1950 the Legislature by special act provided a new Stream Clearance Program whereby cities and towns could gain State Aid.

The proposed plan calls for work in the bed of the brook which will provide a more constant gradient, thus increasing the flow of water. It is estimated that the total project at present day prices will cost in the vicinity of \$300,000, one

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half of which will be borne by the Town and one half by the State, pursuant to the special act mentioned above. Since this is a large undertaking it is proposed that it be done in five steps, of which this year's would be the first. We are advised that from an engineering point of view the work can best be done if it is started near the outlet at the Neponset River at a point where the W.P.A. project of depression days stopped. As presently laid out, the first section of the work will run from Brookside Park to the east face of the existing bridge at the outlet of Turner's Pond. The second step will include work between that bridge and Brook Road and will also include the lowering of the existing Metropolitan Sewer which passes under the bridge at Brook Road near the Town Field. The present sewer is a large brick arch type, the top of which projects into the bottom of the brook and thus serves as an effective dam at times of low water. It is planned to flatten the top of the sewer, building it out on the sides so as to provide the same capacity. This, of course, is a major undertaking all in itself. The third step would include new bridges at Brook Road and Thacher Street and work in the bed of the brook itself in that area. The fourth step will provide for work in the brook to a point 2000 feet beyond Blue Hills Parkway. The fifth and final section will include a new bridge at Blue Hills Parkway and the remaining length of the brook to Canton Avenue at the M. D. C. Pond.

It is recommended that only the first step be taken this year at a cost of \$60,000 of which \$30,000 will be borne by the Town. However, work can be done on this basis only if the Town enters into an agreement with the Commonwealth as authorized by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, which is the act referred to above. Furthermore, such an agreement will, as stated in the Article, require that the Town assume liability for all damages to property suffered by any person as a result of any taking of land or of any right or easement. Obviously, therefore, the total cost to the Town cannot be accurately estimated. However we are advised by the Town Engineer that the amount of takings and the amount of damages which would be incurred in the course of such a project is estimated to be relatively small. The first step which it is proposed be taken this year will include, according to present plans, the elimination of the small bridge over the brook at Ruggles Lane and the taking of a small piece of land between Ruggles Lane and School Street so that Ruggles Lane can be made to join School Street without passing over the brook.

Your Warrant Committee believes that the time has come when the problem of Pine Tree Brook should be dealt with. We therefore strongly urge the adoption of Article 25 and the appropriation under Article 26 of the sum of \$30,000.

Highway

Drainage

This year there are six projects on the Highway Drainage program. These include:

1. Extension of a surface drain off Brush Hill Road to a point opposite a proposed street called Dill Street.
2. Extension of a drain in Cedar Terrace Street.
3. Drainage work on the Horan easement off Canton Avenue near the Ledgeway.
4. Diversion of Trout Brook toward Paul's Bridge.
5. Closing in of an existing drain running from Central Avenue through land of Turner.
6. Certain amount of handwork in clearing Pine Tree Brook.

Trout Brook as it presently exists drains into Pine Tree Brook and in times of flood sends a large amount of water into Pine Tree Brook which in turn aggravates the flood condition of that brook. It appears to be possible to change this

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condition somewhat by diverting some of the water in Trout Brook at a point off Atherton Street between Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road so that the drainage of approximately 500 acres of land will no longer flow into Pine Tree Brook but will be diverted into the Neponset River at Paul's Bridge. We believe this to be a desirable and worthwhile project.

Permanent Construction

Three projects are included in this category for this year. It is proposed to raise the grade of Adams Street in the village between Eliot Street and Wharf Street on the easterly side so as to eliminate the existing high crown. This will also include the raising of the sidewalks and curbings in the same area. It is further proposed to rebuild Brook Road from Blue Hill Avenue to Brush Hill Road, installing new curbing and new sidewalks. The final project contemplates the rebuilding of School Street between Central Avenue and Canton Avenue.

Street Betterments

The Board of Selectmen request the acceptance of three streets under the Street Betterment Act, having a total length of 2,072.02 feet. Under this act 2/3 of the cost will be assessed to the abutters. We concur and recommend the acceptance of the following streets at the following total cost:

Parts of Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street.....	\$13,500
Parts of Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle.....	14,130
Prince Street	13,620
Total.....	\$41,250

Acceptance of Non-Betterment Streets

The Board of Selectmen recommend the acceptance of seven streets without the assessment of betterments. Each of these has been constructed under plans approved by the Planning Board and your Committee accordingly recommends the acceptance of Badger Circle, Coolidge Road, part of Craig Street, Gerald Road, Kevin Road, Nancy Road and Sias Lane.

Chapter 90 Construction

Under Chapter 90 of the General Laws the Town is required to share in the cost of maintenance of certain main streets. This year it is proposed to complete the resurfacing of Edgehill Road from Otis Street to the Collicot School. The Town's share of the cost of this work is \$1,500.

Also under provisions of Chapter 90 it is proposed to reconstruct a portion of Central Avenue from Brook Road to approximately Columbine Road by applying a new surface three inches thick. The total cost of this work will be \$24,000 and Milton's share is therefore \$6,000, the balance being borne by the State and the County.

New Equipment

The Selectmen have recommended the replacement of a 1942 1½ ton dump truck, bought during war time, with a new 2 ton dump truck. They also request the purchase of a new cement mixer and a new automobile for the head of the department, replacing a 1946 Chrysler presently owned. Your Warrant Committee concurs in all these requests. However we do not feel that it is necessary or desirable that the Chrysler automobile be replaced by as an expensive a make of car. Accordingly the amount included in the budget is for a less expensive automobile.

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Proposed Addition to the Central Library

Shortly after the close of World War II, the Town provided for the appointment of a committee to consider a World War II Memorial. After very careful consideration, that committee reported its conclusions that such a Memorial should be established by the Town and strongly urged that it take the form of a room dedicated for the purpose in the Central Public Library. Reference was made to the possibility of such a room being in an addition to the Library then contemplated by the Trustees.

The Trustees of the Library, in conjunction with the World War II Memorial Committee, have been giving thought to appropriate means of providing additional reading room space, stacks, and working quarters. The Trustees now urge that an addition to the Central Library be erected. This addition would contain a small auditorium with stage seating perhaps two hundred people, a children's reading room of about the same size, and ample provision for additional stacks and office space for the Library personnel. The third floor of the proposed addition would be unused for the moment but would be available for the erection of additional stacks, should need arise, and could be used at any time for meetings if chairs were provided for the purpose. The Trustees have secured the advice of Messrs. Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbot, Architects, who have prepared plans for such an addition. It is estimated that the cost would be about \$380,000.

As the Town is aware, the library plant consists of the Central Library itself, the East Milton Branch, the Kidder Branch in the Mattapan section and the small Scotts' Woods Branch in the Hillside Street section. In addition the Library has a room in the Charles Sumner Pierce School and cooperates with the School Department in maintaining library books in the other schools. Your Warrant Committee was unable to ascertain just how the use of the Central Library is divided among the residents of the Town based on their geographical location. While we believe it obvious that many of the services afforded by the department must be maintained at the Central Library, we are not clear as to whether some of these activities may not properly be carried on in the branches. We feel that before constructing an addition to the Central Library of the size and character proposed, there should be a careful study made not only of the use of the present facilities but also of possible needs for the future, taking into consideration the probable growth of the Town in the next few years to come. Consideration could also be given to the possible use of schools or other town buildings.

The Town has benefited greatly over the years from the cooperative efforts of the school and library departments. We realize that the professional knowledge and the large book facilities of the Library Department are of great value in making it possible for our schools to maintain their current high standard. Recommended appropriations for the Library Department this year include \$8,000 for books. The School Department has included in its budget a request for an expenditure of \$2,200 for the purchase of library books for use in the schools in connection with various classes. This does not include text books but does cover, so we are advised, much reference material. We believe that before the Town makes a final decision in the matter of the proposed addition to the Central Library, all of these problems should receive further study by some appropriate committee. Accordingly, it is our suggestion that the Town authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee for this purpose to work in close conjunction with the Library Trustees and the School Committee.

Schools

The appropriation recommended for the School Department for the current year is approximately \$868,750 which is approximately \$12,000 greater than the total appropriation for that department in 1952. This increase is made up in consider-

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able part by increases in salaries and wages for school teachers and principals and other school employees. The balance is largely accounted for by the provision made this year for rebuilding the school athletic field. As in past years the budget includes an item of approximately \$57,000 for the annual maintenance of the school buildings. This latter sum represents a multitude of items. There is one however, which deserves comment and that is a sum of \$4,000 to reconstruct a portion of the roof of the Collicot School, so as to cure once and for all the series of damaging leaks which have occurred over the auditorium. The position of Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds which was jointly recommended to the Town last year by the 1952 Warrant Committee and the School Committee was filled during 1952. We believe with the School Committee that the results have indicated the wisdom of this step.

The School Committee believes that the time has come when a serious effort should be made to repair the playing surface of the High School Athletic Field. They therefore recommend an appropriation of \$4,000 for this purpose. In order for the work to be done properly it will be necessary that the field be not used for a period of at least a year. This in turn will require some increase in the annual appropriation which is made for the support of the athletic program, since it is anticipated that the use of the Town Field for football and other games will reduce the revenue which is ordinarily received. The program also includes the expenditure of \$3,500 to repair and paint the bleachers on the athletic field.

Article 41 of the Warrant provides for the appointment of a committee to study the uses that can be made of the Vose School property and of the Glover School property on School Street. We believe that this should be done. In that connection we wish to point out that the School budget for this year includes an item of \$1,900 to care for the Vose School property. This will be used primarily to board up the windows, thus avoiding the necessity of continually replacing glass broken by vandals.

Article 39 provides for the continuation in more detail of last year's study of physical education facilities in the High School. We concur.

Articles 37 and 38 of the Warrant should be read together. They present an agreement arrived at by the Town and the owner of adjoining land for final settlement on boundary lines between the new Glover School and Mr. Turner's land and for the settlement of all questions involving the possible value of rights taken at the time of the acquisition of the Glover School Land. By these two articles a small tract of land is conveyed to Mr. Turner and in return he makes a conveyance to the Town of a similar small tract.

The School Committee has requested an appropriation of \$30,000 to provide for the construction of a passageway, 170 feet long and 8 feet wide connecting the Collicot School and the Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School. The purpose of such a passageway would be to permit more comfortable and convenient use of the facilities in one school by the pupils in the other school. Your Warrant Committee believes that while this may be a desirable addition to the school plant it is not a necessary one and accordingly recommends that no appropriation be made.

School and Park Lands

Article 40 provides for the transfer to the Park Department of a lot of land on Eliot Street acquired many years ago as a possible school site. This lot has been held by the School Department and is no longer needed for school purposes. We recommend that the transfer be approved.

Article 42 authorizes the sale of a tract of land consisting of .86 of an acre on Atherton Street which was the site of the old Sumner School torn down a number

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of years ago. This site is too small for the erection of a modern school and is no longer needed for school purposes. It is recommended that it be sold.

Article 47 provides for the sale of a tract consisting of approximately 2.48 acres now held by the Park Department. This was originally acquired for use as a gravel pit and for some years was the site of a hose house, before the building of the present Atherton Street Fire Station. It has been idle for some thirty years. It is recommended that it be sold.

Articles 44 and 45 provide for the acquisition of a tract of land of approximately 13.8 acres lying between Canton Avenue and Blue Hill Avenue north of Atherton Street. This land is designated as "C" on the map appearing at the end of this report. One half of the tract is proposed to be taken for school purposes, the other half for park purposes. The school half is that lying nearest Canton Avenue and the park half is that lying nearest Blue Hill Avenue. Your Warrant Committee is informed that the present owner of the land has agreed to sell it to the Town for a total price of \$20,000. The School Committee is strongly of the opinion that it is desirable to acquire these two parcels. They believe that in years to come it will be necessary to locate a school in this area to care for children in houses which will undoubtedly be built and for whom there would be no place in existing schools.

The Park department also desires to acquire land in this same general area for use as a park in future years when the area has been more generally built up. Both departments believe that acquisition of these two tracts now will be valuable insurance. Bearing in mind difficulties which have arisen at times in the past when the Town wished to acquire land for some municipal purpose, your Warrant Committee agrees with the School Committee and the Park Department and recommends the acquisition of the two tracts in question.

Park

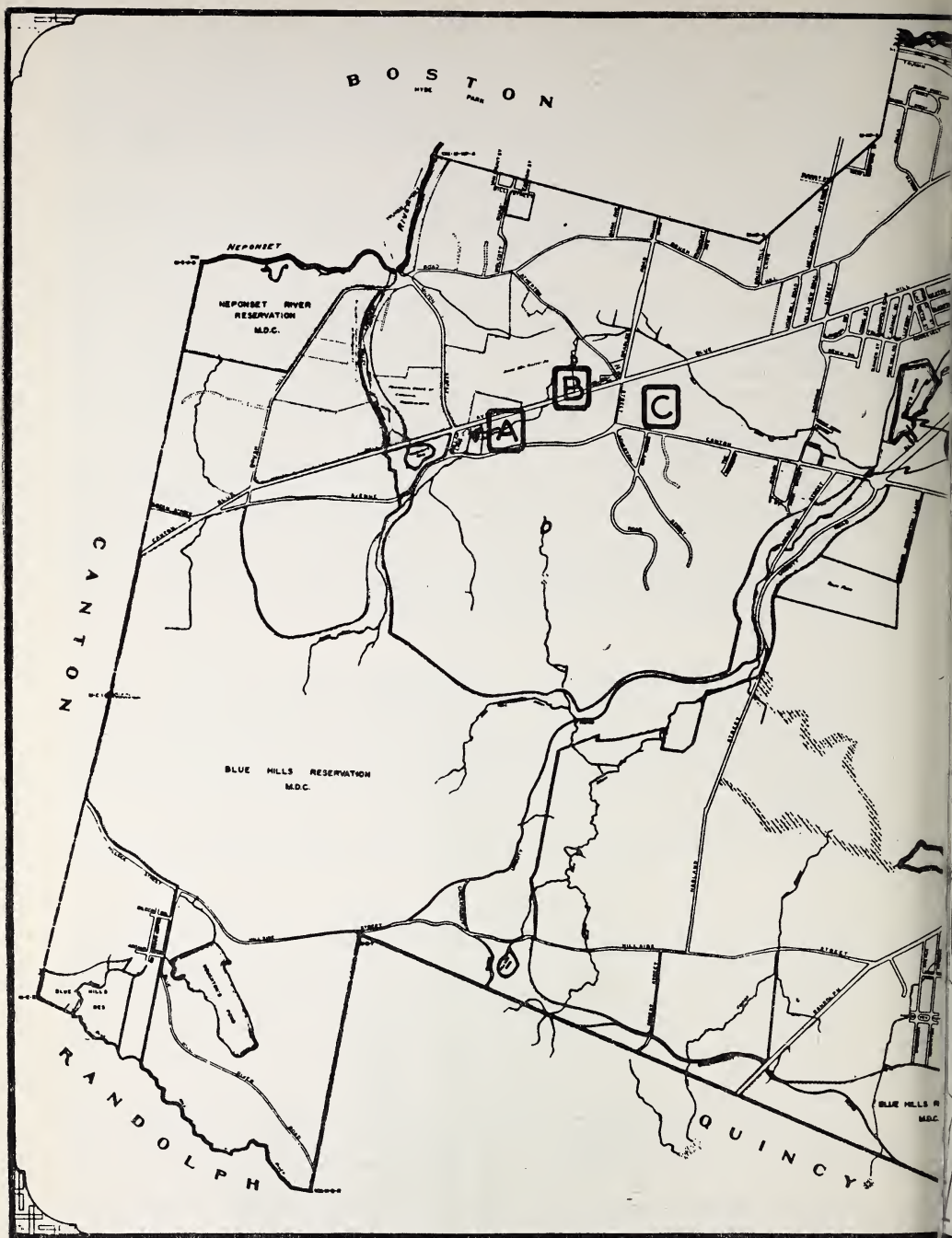
The budget for this department includes \$3,000 for further development of the Andrews Playground and this year includes the sum of \$2,000 for further development of the Mary Chase Lane Playground. Both of these playgrounds are being developed over a period of years. This is the fourth year of the development program of the Andrews Playground and the third year for the Mary Chase Lane Playground.

In addition there is included the sum of \$1,090 to cover the purchase of a power mower for this department replacing the old mower which was purchased in 1941.

Changes in Zoning Bylaw

Articles 48 and 49 were inserted in the Warrant on petition of interested citizens. They were the subject matter of hearings held by the Planning Board which were largely attended. Article 48 would change to a business district the small lot of land purchased by the Norfolk County Trust Company and which is the site of the old railroad station in East Milton. Article 49 would change to a business district the tract of land currently occupied by Community Motors, Inc. and Woodward's Garage, Inc. This latter tract is now located in a residence district but is used for business purposes since it was so used before the zoning bylaw was adopted. The Planning Board recommends that no change be made in the zoning of either parcel. As to the bank property it points out that any change should wait until the exact location of the southeast expressway has been determined. As to the Community Motors-Woodward's Garage tract the Planning Board states that such a change would be "spot zoning" and therefore improper. Your Warrant Committee concurs with the conclusions of the Planning Board.

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Article 50 was likewise inserted in the Warrant on petition of interested citizens. It calls for rezoning of a single lot of land adjoining the property owned by Eliot Creamery, Inc. which operates Hendrie's. The petitioners stated to us that the reason for asking for the change in zoning was to permit Creamery trucks and cars of employees to be parked off the street. We were advised that at a public hearing held by the Planning Board there was no final opposition to the proposed change. However, the Planning Board has recommended that no change be made, pointing out that although the reason given for seeking the change is to permit parking, nevertheless change to a business zone would also permit any other business enterprise authorized by the bylaws to be carried on. We agree with this conclusion of the Planning Board.

Welfare

With the exception of some increases in wages and salaries in line with the general recommendations referred to earlier in this report, the budget of the Welfare Department is substantially the same as last year. Although this department disburses a fairly large sum of money it must be borne in mind that a considerable part of it is covered by Federal grants and by aid received from the State.

Reserve Fund

The March Meeting in 1952 appropriated \$30,000 for the Reserve Fund for that year. Of that total appropriation \$16,287.47 remained unexpended and was transferred to Overlay Reserve. Nevertheless we feel that prudence requires that the same amount of \$30,000 should be appropriated for the year 1953. Of this total appropriation \$24,776.62 may be taken from the Overlay Reserve so that but \$5,223.38 remains to be raised from the 1953 tax levy.

Transfers to Departments

Board of Appeals.....	\$ 200.00
Building Department	1,226.35
Collector	112.76
Election & Registration.....	600.29
Evening Practical Arts.....	106.01
General Relief	2,820.18
Highway	955.00
Law	371.08
Library	7.00
Police	1,728.50
Police & Firemen's Pensions.....	2,720.90
Rodent Control	100.00
Street Listing	14.92
Town Clerk	184.10
Veterans' Benefits	2,459.54
Wire	105.90
Total.....	<u>\$13,712.53</u>

Change in General Bylaw

At the last March Meeting the general bylaw was changed so as to establish a definite term for the Warrant Committee. In order to make the change-over from the previous provision of the bylaw it was necessary to insert a new section 1-A applicable to the year 1952 only. This temporary provision is no longer necessary and accordingly it is recommended that Article 63 be approved repealing it.

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Warrant Committee

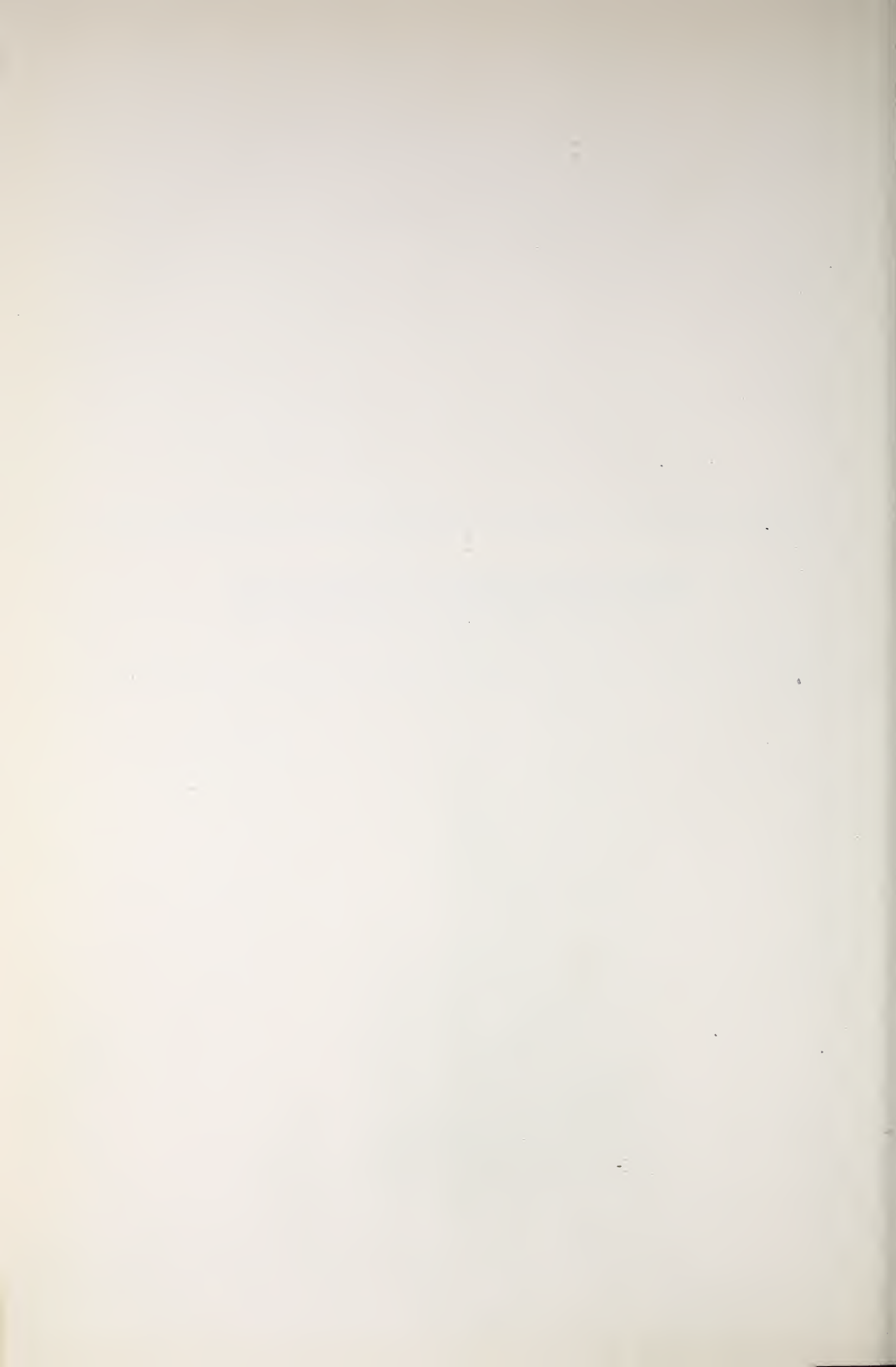
In conclusion the members of this committee wish to express their sincere thanks for the cooperation and assistance of the employees of the Town and of the several boards and department heads. The earlier receipt of budgets as provided by the change in the general bylaw voted at the last March Meeting proved of inestimable value to your committee in doing its work.

The Chairman is most appreciative of the painstaking work of his fellow members and their cheerful devotion to Town affairs, especially on the part of the Subcommittee on Wages and Salaries. In closing he wishes to express his gratitude and that of the whole Committee to Mrs. Maxwell E. Macdonald, our efficient Clerk.

JOHN E. ROGERSON, *Chairman*
EDWARD E. BIGELOW, *Secretary*
MRS. RAYMOND ADAMS
JOHN BREMER
MRS. GORHAM CLUETT
JOSEPH F. COSGROVE
THOMAS CULLEN
JAMES T. DUNPHY
SPENCER FIELD
ALFRED A. GIOIOSA
DAVID W. KELLEY
JAMES J. MCGEE
EDWARD E. WENDELL
SAMUEL H. WOLCOTT, Jr.
HORACE WOOD



DEPARTMENT REPORTS



REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Milton, Mass., January 15, 1954

To the Citizens of Milton:

The Selectmen submit the following report for the year ended December 31, 1953.

On March 7th the following were elected Selectmen: Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Samuel G. Craig and Daniel E. Duggan and on March 12th the Board organized with Samuel G. Craig, Chairman and Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Secretary.

The Southeast Expressway, which is to go through East Milton Square, following the roadbed of the abandoned railroad, has been a very controversial subject this year as the exact location was not certain until the time of the public hearing at 100 Nashua Street, Boston on October 7, 1953 and a continued public hearing in the Milton Town Hall on October 21, 1953.

Plans were changing all the time up to October as must be on a big project like this. We are losing twenty-eight homes and twelve businesses. We, through the Town Engineer, endeavored to have a deck constructed over the roadbed to eliminate the taking of so many homes on the west side of the Expressway by carrying the access road above the new road.

The Park Department announced that the playground off Squantum Street was no longer necessary for playground purposes. A legislative act has been filed to permit the sale of part of this land for the relocation of twelve or more homes that are in the taking for the new road and part of St. Agatha's School for playground purposes.

By several conferences with the State engineers the Board has been able to make adjustments of the problems of different home owners and we hope the ultimate result will compensate for all the losses of homes and businesses.

With the construction of the new expressway through East Milton Square the present parking space on railroad property will be lost when construction starts and we hope the Town will consider purchasing the Warshaw property for permanent parking space where parking meters can be installed.

In conjunction with the State Chapter 90 work program we have resurfaced Central Avenue this year from Brook Road to the vicinity of School Street. Next year we hope to complete Central Avenue and resurface Edge Hill Road from Otis Street west to Pleasant Street and continue on Pleasant Street in a westerly direction.

Highway work was continued up to December 31, 1953 because of the mild weather. We have been able to complete more of the Betterment Street work than had been expected. The equipment has aged without many replacements and we hope to be able to obtain a new bulldozer and roller this coming year.

Several replacements and additions have been made in the personnel of the Highway Department and we should be able to complete the program of the coming year.

The Pine Tree Brook stream clearance program has been approved. With the new State Public Works Commissioner many of the construction projects have been delayed, but we have been assured this work will get under way early in 1954. We hope to have the money appropriated for the second step of the work, which will complete the job to Brook Road.

In a number of new developments more street lights were added for better protection. At our request the Boston Edison Company has undertaken a major program of painting and maintenance of their street lights, cross-arms and poles.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

After lengthy and expensive court hearings the Town was allowed to retain the Lyman Road dump. We strongly recommend that the Town purchase the Dalerio property for future dumping. We suggest the building of a road to this property in a new location to eliminate the necessity of passing existing homes.

A new vault has been constructed at a minimum cost in the basement of the Central Fire Station to store reference material for most of the departments. We plan to install steel shelving in the vault to complete the job.

Town Accountant Fred N. Krim and Building Inspector Carl R. Horne were retired after years of faithful service.

Due to the fine cooperation of all Town Boards, Department Heads and Employees our work has progressed with the greatest amount of efficiency and the Board takes this opportunity to thank all who participated.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL G. CRAIG

CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.

DANIEL E. DUGGAN

Selectmen of Milton

REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

REPORT OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

January 12, 1954

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Legislative Counsel and as Chairman of the Legislative Committee, I submit herewith my report for the year 1953.

With the assistance of the Legislative Committee, so far as possible, all bills filed in the Legislature for 1953 which might affect the interests of the Town were examined.

I conferred frequently with Jonathan W. French, Esquire, Legislative Counsel for the Selectmen's Association, and appeared in behalf of the Board of Selectmen in support of some of the bills in which the Selectmen were interested.

After the 1953 Legislative Session had closed, the Legislative Committee met to consider certain legislative action which the Town proposed to introduce for consideration by the Legislature in 1954. Two bills were introduced which, if passed, will eliminate the necessity of securing Legislative approval for Towns to convey playground land when it is no longer needed for playground purposes and which would permit the Town to transfer playground land, no longer needed for playground purposes, to some other department of the Town.

A bill has been introduced to permit Towns to appropriate money for public Christmas lighting displays and also a bill to remove an old restriction imposed upon the Board of Water Commissioners which prevents a commissioner from holding any other elective office in the Town.

Also, in addition to the two general bills relating to the sale and transfer of playground land, a specific bill was introduced to authorize the Town to sell part of the East Milton Playground in order to provide land for citizens in East Milton whose houses are being displaced by the State express highway being constructed through East Milton.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. FREDERICK
Legislative Counsel and
Chairman of the Legislative Committee

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 12, 1954

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Town Counsel for the year 1953.

As usual,*during the year 1953, I advised your Board and other Boards and Town Officials on legal matters arising in the usual course of the conduct of the Town's affairs. In addition to routine matters, there was more than the usual amount of litigation and special work.

Two bills in equity were brought to enforce the zoning bylaw to prevent the maintenance of two telephone answering services. In one case the action was settled out of Court and the telephone answering service removed from Milton. The other case is still pending and has been continued to see what action the Town will take at its Annual Meeting in 1954 to amend the zoning bylaw.

Two appeals were filed in the Superior Court against decisions of the Planning Board and the Board of Health with respect to subdivisions. Both appeals were settled without trial and the settlements were favorable to the Town.

A very important action was commenced against the Town by a group of residents living in the vicinity of Lyman Road. The citizens sought to enjoin the operation of the Town Dump contending that it was a nuisance. At the time the suit was entered, a temporary injunction was obtained by the plaintiffs and for several months the Town was prohibited from burning any of the material deposited in the dump except the materials brought to the dump by the Forestry Department. The case was tried in the summer in the Quincy District Court by a Master appointed by the Superior Court. The Master's decision was favorable to the Town and, on the basis of his report, the injunction was dissolved. However, the plaintiffs have taken exception to the Master's report and at the end of 1953 these exceptions had not been acted upon by the Court and the case was still pending.

Claims paid by the Town in the settlement of automobile accident cases and for alleged defects in the streets in the aggregate amounted to \$1,056.23.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. FREDERICK

Town Counsel

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

Milton, Mass., January 7, 1954

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Board of Appeals presents the following report for the year 1953.

Mr. Edward C. Johnson 2d, whose term expired in March, was reappointed to serve until the Annual Town Meeting to be held in March 1956.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Paul B. Watson, Jr., Mr. Robert L. Shewell and Mr. Charles L. Hibbard, Jr., who so willingly substituted for members of the Board when they were unable to be present.

During the year we held thirty-two hearings. Of this number there were:

7 applications for Special Permits

10 applications for Variances

3 applications for Variance or Other Relief

1 application for Conversion under Section 2 of Chapter 592 of the Acts of 1946 as amended by Chapter 567 of the Acts of 1948, Chapter 381 of the Acts of 1951 and Chapter 159 of the Acts of 1952

2 applications for Extension of Conversions

1 application for Variance and License under Chapter 592 of the Acts of 1946—Section 2A—which section was inserted by Chapter 427 of the Acts of 1947

5 applications for Relief under Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 81Q

3 applications for Relief on Adjacent Lots

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. JOHNSON 2d, Chairman

JOHN M. CURLEY

ROLAND S. FULTON

Board of Appeals, Town of Milton

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Milton, Mass., January 8, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the Engineering Department for the year ending December 31, 1953.

Requests from Town departments, Town officials, and special committees have been received for both office and field work and these have been fulfilled. A diary of daily assignments is kept and the following table shows how our time is distributed:

Assessors Department	11.19%
Building Department	2.10
Cemetery Department	1.52
General Engineering	17.10
Highway Department	26.32
Park Department .....	.53
Planning Board	4.68
Police Department .....	.54
Street Betterments	15.58
Town Officials and Committees.....	6.25
Water Department	14.19
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New buildings, alterations and additions to existing buildings, changes in property lines, subdivisions and land transfers of all properties in Town are required to keep the Assessors Atlas up to date. The base plans for this work are part of the Engineering Department's records and require many weeks of work during the winter months in order to maintain current references. Several departments have copies of the Assessors Atlas to assist them in their respective work.

The Massachusetts Department of Public Works and their consultant, the Clarkeson Engineering Company, were assisted in a large measure by our records while preparing the layout of the Southeast Expressway through Milton. Late in 1953, the layout of part of this expressway was filed in the Norfolk Registry of Deeds after two public hearings held by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. The first hearing was held at 100 Nashua Street, Boston and the second at the Milton Town Hall. Barring any unforeseen event, the expressway planned to be constructed through East Milton should be partially completed in 1954.

The Planning Board's work continues to require many hours of study, averaging two meetings a month for Board members and many hours of inspections by your Town Engineer as the development of subdivisions progress. Under the Planning Board's Rules and Regulations, the entire cost of subdivisions is borne by the developer. This includes the utilities, the roadway and the sidewalks, complete for acceptance.

STREETS ACCEPTED WITHOUT BETTERMENTS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Width</i>
Badger Circle	Pleasant Street	Pleasant Street	1015	50
Coolidge Road	Reedsdale Road	Private Land	712	50
Craig Street	Public Portion	402' Southerly	402	50
Gerald Road	Pleasant Street	Phyllis Lane	1214	50
Kevin Road	Robbins Street	Craig Street	540	50
Nancy Road	Gerald Road	Phyllis Lane	918	50
Sias Lane	Coolidge Road	Private Land	416	50

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Private ways in the Town are decreasing in number each year as "Betterment Petitions" are received by the Selectmen to accept these ways. Each petition requires considerable time to prepare layout plans for a public hearing held by the Selectmen. If the streets meet with approval and are accepted by Town Meeting, they are then constructed and assessed.

THIS YEAR, THE FOLLOWING STREETS WERE PETITIONED:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Width</i>	<i>Est. Cost per Front Foot</i>
Bartons Lane	Glendale Road	Fullers Lane	657.87'	40-50	10.48365
Dexter Street	Lafayette Street	Norman Street	790.00'	40	10.259895
Lafayette Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Truro Lane	682.82'	50	11.30128
Longwood Road	Windsor Road	Standish Road	519.21'	40	5.8625
Lufbery Street	Lafayette Street	Truro Lane	522.19'	40	8.032553
Truro Lane (formerly Roosevelt Street)	Norman Street	Lufbery Street	984.59'	40	9.314105

The Highway Department's program of street construction is made up of "Betterment Streets" (abutters pay 2/3 and the Town 1/3 of the cost); "Permanent Construction" (cost borne by the Town); and "Chapter 90, General Laws" (State pay 50%, County 25%, and Town 25% of the cost). Other work performed by the Highway Department includes curbing installations; "Drainage" (either for a public way or to provide a surface drain outlet for a new development); "Sidewalk Construction," Chapter 83, Sections 25 and 26 of the General Laws" (abutters pay 50% and the Town 50%); and "Private Work" (utility companies and bonded contractors pay to have street openings resurfaced). A tabulation of this work follows:

STREETS CONSTRUCTED UNDER THE BETTERMENT ACT:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Part of Ferncroft Road and Part of Victoria Street	Public Portion	Blue Hill Avenue	670'	40'
Part of Pagoda Street and Part of Pagoda Circle	Ferncroft Road	Hudson Street	720'	40'
Prince Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Truro Lane	682'	40'
			2072'	
			or .39 miles	

STREET CONSTRUCTED UNDER PERMANENT CONSTRUCTION:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Brook Road	Brush Hill Road	Blue Hill Avenue	658'	40'

STREET RESURFACED UNDER CHAPTER 90, GENERAL LAWS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Central Avenue	Brook Road	School Street	4050'	74'

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

CURBING LAID:

<i>Location</i>	<i>Circular Feet</i>	<i>Straight Feet</i>	<i>Corner Blocks</i>
Brook Road-Brush Hill Road to Blue Hill Avenue		1122.1'	12
Brook Road at Oak Street.....	32.0'		
Brook Road at Blue Hill Avenue.....	33.4'		
Pagoda Circle at Hudson Street.....	57.1'	12.0'	1
Pagoda Circle at Pagoda Street.....	89.2'	24.0'	2
Pagoda Street at Ferncroft Road.....	68.8'	24.0'	2
Prince Street at Blue Hill Avenue.....	94.2'	24.0'	2
Prince Street at Truro Lane.....	88.0'	24.0'	2
St. Agatha Road at #15.....		34.3'	2
Victoria Street at Blue Hill Avenue.....	94.2'	24.0'	2
	556.9'	1288.4'	25

DRAINAGE INSTALLED:

<i>Location</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>No. of Catch Basins</i>	<i>No. of Manholes</i>
Atherton Street—Jean deArc Academy land (440' of open trench).....	82.4'	30"		
†Badger Circle from Pleasant Street to Pleasant Street	203.0'	12"	6	5
	536.2'	10"		
Brook Road near Oak Street.....	73.8'	8"	1	
Brook Road near Randolph Avenue.....	6.0'	8"	1	
Canton Avenue—Easement from Trout Brook to Canton Avenue near the Ledgeway.....	307.6'	15"		3
†Coolidge Road and Easement from Private Land to Private Land	947.3'	24"	4	6
	68.8'	8"		
†Craig Street from Public Portion to beyond Kevin Road	408.3'	12"	2	2
	30.6'	8"		
*Ferncroft Road between Savin Street and Victoria Street	230.0'	10"	2	1
	28.1'	8"		
†Gerald Road and Easement from Gerald Road to Nancy Road and at Pleasant Street.....	729.9'	12"	6	3
	87.5'	10"		
	131.5'	8"		
†Kevin Road from Robbins Street to Craig Street...	270.0'	12"	4	1
	63.8'	8"		
†Nancy Road between Gerald Road and Phyllis Lane	28.3'	8"	4	1
*Pagoda Circle between Hudson Street and Pagoda Street	26.8'	8"	2	
*Pagoda Street between Ferncroft Road and Pagoda Circle	51.5'	10"	2	1
	30.7'	8"		
*Prince Street from Blue Hill Avenue to Truro Lane	196.0'	12"	7	2
	539.0'	10"		
	119.1'	8"		

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Randolph Avenue near Brook Road.....	7.8'	30"		
	52.8'	15"		
†Sias Lane from Coolidge Road to Private Land..	325.0'	24"	2	1
	39.5'	8"		
	5621.3'		43	27

†Installed by Contractor

*Betterment Streets

Number of Catch Basins in Town, January 1, 1953.....	1751
Number of Catch Basins constructed in 1953.....	43
	1794

BITUMINOUS SIDEWALKS CONSTRUCTED:

<i>Location</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Width</i>
Audubon Road at Grove Street.....	90.2'	4.5'
Audubon Road at Parkway Crescent.....	104.9'	4.5'-5'
Brook Road from Canton Avenue to Randolph Avenue.....	1532.0'	5.5'-6'
Grove Street from Warren Avenue to Audubon Road.....	479.8'	4.5'
Hazel Street from Pleasant Street to Private Land.....	1013.5'	4.5'
Highland Street from Canton Avenue to the Milton Hospital Service Walk	555.8'	6.5'
Orono Street from Thacher Street to Town Land.....	443.7'	4.5'
Thacher Street from Lincoln Street to Warren Avenue.....	147.0'	4.5'

It is our policy to set permanent markers on each street constructed by the Town and require permanent markers to be set in developments. The following table indicates where bounds were set during 1953:

*Badger Circle	9
Brook Road between Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road.....	1
Charles Sumner Pierce School Property.....	2
Ferncroft Road at Victoria Street.....	2
Pagoda Circle between Hudson Street and Pagoda Street.....	2
*Pagoda Street at Pagoda Circle.....	1
*Pleasant Street near Badger Circle.....	2
*Parkway Crescent at the Pine Tree Brook Taking.....	1
School Street between Central Avenue and Canton Avenue.....	3
*School Street between Central Avenue and Canton Avenue.....	1
Victoria Street at Blue Hill Avenue.....	1
*Victoria Street between Ferncroft Road and Savin Street.....	1
	26

*Bounds adjusted or reset to grade.

During the year, we have provided engineering services of many descriptions for the following:

Building Department—Problems in Zoning and Planning Board regulations.

Cemetery Department—Lots staked and plans furnished for newly developed areas.

General Engineering—House locations, setting permanent bounds and public street lines.

Forestry Department—Street line markers.

Health Department—Plans, sketches, and estimates in connection with dump areas.

Park Department—Lines and grades for playground improvements.

Planning Board—Checking subdivision plans and development inspections.

Police Department—Surveys and plans for fatal and serious accidents.

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

School Department—Office and field work for reconstruction of athletic field and plans for several sites to be considered for future school needs.

Board of Selectmen—Recommendations for improved street lighting, plans, profiles, estimates, easements, and reports on various engineering problems.

Sewer Department—Complete Town record plans available for their use.

Town Counsel—Plans, sketches, easements and descriptions for court trial and sale of Town land.

Water Department—Staking lines and supplying grades for water main extensions, easement plans, field locations of mains and services, additions to their distribution system map and their permanent record books for both mains and services.

Warrant Committee—Plans for areas considered for rezoning.

The first section of the work on Pine Tree Brook between Brookside Park and Turner's Pond Bridge, scheduled for 1953, has not been started. The State Water Ways Division assures me that this contract will be awarded early in 1954.

I wish to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and the Clarkeson Engineering Company for the co-operation given this department in connection with the Southeast Expressway. I also wish to thank the personnel of the Engineering Department, the Town Officials, and the other Town departments for their assistance throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER E. MANNING
Town Engineer

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

December 31, 1953

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Assessors herewith submit their report for the year 1953.

At the annual election of Town Officers for 1953 Mr. Robert Bowie was elected for a three year term.

On March 10th the Board organized as follows: Robert Bowie, Chairman; William C. Hoxie, Secretary.

The tax rate was made on May 14, 1953 and submitted to Henry F. Long, Commissioner, for approval. The tax rate on that date was established at \$44.00 per thousand, a decrease of \$4.40 per thousand.

Twenty-five thousand four hundred twenty-four tax bills have been rendered by this office during 1953, their classification being as follows: 7,065 Real Estate; 423 Personal Property; 7,243 Polls; and 10,693 Motor Vehicle Excise.

1953 Exepnses

ESTIMATED STATE & COUNTY ASSESSMENTS

(Commissioner's Estimates)

		<i>Actual Amounts Assessed by State and County</i>
County Tax	\$ 80,995.02	\$ 80,986.66
County Tuberculosis Hospital	50,900.64	48,576.96
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	\$ 131,895.66	\$ 129,563.62

STATE TAXES:

Audit of Municipal Accounts	\$ 1,637.79	\$ 1,637.79
State Examination of Retirement System	123.43	123.43
Metropolitan Parks	37,721.90	36,459.72
Metropolitan Sewerage South System	44,484.42	41,328.74
Metropolitan Water	22,686.44	22,686.44
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses	201.64	201.63
Metropolitan Transit Authority		
Deficiency	60,892.45	61,102.71
Principal Payments	5,775.80	5,775.80
Smoke Inspection Service	630.75	485.42
Boston Arena Authority Assessment		3,930.22
Charles River Basin		13.49
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	\$ 174,154.62	\$ 173,745.39

Town Appropriations voted at Special Meeting June 2, 1952

1952	6,500.00	6,500.00
Chapter 163, Acts of 1950—Board of Retirement	500.00	500.00
State & County underestimates to be raised	1,693.72	1,693.72
Town Appropriations	\$2,842,003.92	
Less—Metropolitan Water Tax	22,686.44	
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	\$2,819,317.48	2,819,317.48
		2,819,317.48

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Town Appropriations	Balances	Transferred from		
Available Funds	.....	.....	142,627.02	142,627.02
Total Expenses	.....	.....	\$3,276,688.50	\$3,273,947.23

1953 Receipts

ESTIMATED STATE INCOME:

(Commissioner's Estimates)

		<i>Actual Amounts Received State Only</i>
Income Tax	\$ 138,525.07	\$ 122,182.38
(Public School Reim. \$44,062.69)		
Business Corporation Tax	161,467.76	158,242.76
Old Age Tax (Meals)	3,660.72	4,054.03
	\$ 303,653.55	\$ 284,479.17
Overestimates to be used as available funds	16,229.44	16,229.44
Chapter 500—Acts of 1951		1,409.10
	\$ 319,882.99	\$ 302,117.71

ESTIMATED TOWN RECEIPTS:

Licenses	\$ 9,135.00
Fines	500.00
Special Assessments	25,000.00
	\$ 34,635.00

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE:

Miscellaneous	\$ 1,125.00		
Police	4,535.00		
Inspections	5,555.00		
Forestry	3,775.00		
Health	2,625.00		
Sewer	3,700.00		
Highways	2,060.00		
Charities	12,385.00		
Old Age Assistance	78,300.00		
Veterans' Benefits	6,655.00		
Schools	760.00		
Libraries	2,850.00		
Cemetery	22,885.00		
	\$147,210.00		
Interest	4,550.00	186,395.00	186,395.00
Motor Vehicle Excise		200,000.00	200,000.00
Poll Taxes		14,410.00	14,410.00
Water		131,148.66	131,148.66
Excess & Deficiency		280,000.00	280,000.00

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

AVAILABLE FUNDS:

<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>		
Available Water Surplus	Water Dept.....	80,295.33	
Available Funds	Acct. for Mains in Private Ways..	6,495.07	
Sale of Cemetery Lots & Graves		60.00	
Interest on Perpetual Care Acct.		10,000.00	
Available Funds	Chapter 90.....	3,000.00	
Available Funds	Chapter 90—Cen- tral Ave.	18,000.00	
Overlay Reserve	Reserve Fund ...	24,776.62	
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		142,627.02	142,627.02
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Total Receipts		\$1,274,463.67	\$1,256,698.39
Total Expenses			\$3,276,688.50
Total Receipts			<hr/> 1,274,463.67
Amount to be raised.....			\$2,002,224.83
Plus Overlay (to provide for:.....			<hr/> 41,561.75

Statutory Exemptions, Clause 17, 18, 22—Approx. \$24,637.00 in 1953.

Poll Tax Abatement—Approx. \$2,462.00 in 1953.

Personal Property Abatements—Approx. \$785.00 in 1953.

Real Estate Abatements—Approx. \$5,926.00 in 1953.

Overlay Balance—Approx. \$7,749.00 in 1953.

Total Levy on Real and Personal Property..... \$2,043,786.58

TAX RATE \$44.00

Total Real Estate Valuation	\$43,161,385.00 X \$44.00	\$1,899,100.94
Total Personal Property Valuation.....	3,288,310.00 X \$44.00	144,685.64
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	\$46,449,695.00	<hr/> \$2,043,786.58

The population of the Town, computed by the Assessors as of January 1, 1953 was 23,322. Other statistics were as follows:

Number of dwelling houses assessed.....	5889
Number of acres of land assessed.....	6218
Number of licensed dogs	1692
Number of live stock assessed:	
Horses	103
Cows	217
Bulls	22
Swine	2
Fowl	2640

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Total of all taxes committed by Assessors to Tax Collector:

1953 Real Estate Taxes	\$1,899,100.94
1953 Real Estate Tax (Dec. Levy)	44.00
1953 Personal Property Taxes	144,685.64
1953 Personal Property Taxes (Dec. Levy)	132.00
1953 Poll Taxes	14,410.00
1953 Poll Taxes (Dec. Levy)	76.00

Special Assessments added to 1953 real estate bills:

Sidewalk	210.81	
Unapportioned Sewer	5,734.46	
Unapportioned Sewer Interest	172.05	
Sewer Assessments	3,886.22	
Street Betterments	9,476.00	
Interest	3,146.00	
Forestry	345.00	
Water Liens	1,497.91	24,469.11

1952 Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Committed Jan. 12, 1953	\$ 6,639.90
Committed Jan. 12, 1953	800.00
Committed Feb. 2, 1953	7,276.15
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	\$ 14,716.05

1953 Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Committed May 18, 1953	\$ 95,842.03
Committed Sept. 11, 1953	131,958.51
Committed Dec. 10, 1953	16,195.02
Committed Dec. 23, 1953	18,987.44
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	\$ 262,983.00

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT BOWIE
WILLIAM C. HOXIE
GEORGE S. MURRAY

REPORT OF MILTON CEMETERY

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE MILTON CEMETERY

January 6, 1954

The Trustees of the Milton Cemetery respectfully report for the year 1953 that:

1. 259 burials were made.
2. 40 lots and 59 single graves were assigned to residents — all being placed under perpetual care.
3. Foundations for 73 monuments were built. 44 markers were set of which 8 required foundations.
4. The Cemetery's appropriation totalled \$64,137.00 of which \$62,226.22 was spent. Receipts totalled \$33,213.70 of which \$9,982.55 was interest on Perpetual Care Fund and Trust Funds. The cost to the Town was 64c on the tax rate.
5. To the Perpetual Care Fund were added \$17,181.50, bringing the total to \$362,700.50 in the Perpetual Care Fund.
6. Approximately one-half a mile of permanent road surface was constructed.
7. An acre of land was sub-graded, ready for loaming at a future date.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. SHELDON, Chairman
CHARLES L. HIBBARD, JR., Secretary
THOMAS WHEELER
NORMAN PIERCE
EDMUND J. BURKE

Board of Trustees

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

January 2, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1953.

Alarms

There were 790 alarms of fire received during the year: 235 Bell alarms, two of them being General Alarm fires, and 555 Still alarms.

Alarms Each Month

January	30	May	47	September	46
February	45	June	108	October	61
March	68	July	76	November	79
April	104	August	68	December	58

Mutual Aid

Milton to Boston	1	Boston to Milton	9
Milton to Quincy	13	Quincy to Milton	13
Milton to Worcester	8		

Work Performed

Feet of hose laid (1½ inch) ..	18,350	Gallons of water:	
Feet of hose laid (2½ inch) ..	50,050	Booster tanks	63,125
Feet of ladder raised	4,631	Tanks:	
Lines laid	55	Oxygen (Medical)	26
Salvage covers	11	CO2	23

Other Calls

Inhalator-resuscitator calls during the past year numbered eighteen for heart attack or drowning victims. Persons locked out of homes; released children from locked rooms and released cats from trees and roofs. Flushed streets as a result of accidents; gas leaks and fumes in basements; leaking oil burners, tanks and refrigerators; oil burner, television and vehicle fires. Boat used for rescue work and dragging for drowning victims. The number of false alarms rung in during the year was sixty-eight.

Inspections Made and Permits Issued

Permits:		Inspection	Permit Copies Issued
Oil Burners:			
Power	364	723	21
Range	7	12	6
Space	1	3	
Tanks:			
50 gal.	11	20	6
225 gal.	3	6	
275 gal.	345	701	21

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Tanks underground:			
500 gal.	2.....	5	
950 gal.	1.....	3	
1000 gal.	8.....	18	
2000 gal.	1.....	2.....	1
5000 gal.	1.....	5	
6680 gal.	1.....	3	
8000 gal.	1.....	2	
10000 gal.	1.....	3	
20000 gal.	1.....	5	
Fireworks	1.....	5	
Blasting	28.....	53	
Petroleum gases	5.....	11	
Out of Doors Fire Permits			1253
Inspections of stores, garages, complaints, etc.....			1070

Personnel

On May 21, 1953, Fire Fighter Robert F. Ochs was promoted to Fire Lieutenant to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Fire Lieutenant Joseph H. Blanchard.

On May 28, 1953, Robert K. Doherty was appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter and on July 2, 1953, John W. Kenney was appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter.

John P. Black, Permanent Fire Fighter since January 12, 1950, resigned as a member of the Department on September 26, 1953 to enter private industry.

All promotions and appointments of personnel made during the year in the Department, were made from the existing certified Civil Service lists established as the result of examinations.

The Auxiliary Fire Fighters, whose membership is entirely voluntary, holds monthly meetings under the supervision and direction of Fire Fighter Robert O. Tucker. The interest of all is kept with other activities such as movies, lectures and definite detail assignments. All of the members of the Auxiliary Force made at least one trip to the stricken tornado area of Worcester. The services and very fine cooperation of all members of the Auxiliary Force has been excellent and I would like at this time to extend my sincere thanks to them and Fire Fighter Robert O. Tucker for his keen interest with the group.

Periodic instructions and drills have been conducted through-out the year for all regular members of the Department under the direction of the Deputy Fire Chiefs of the Department.

In Memoriam

LIEUTENANT JOSEPH H. BLANCHARD

Appointed a Call Fireman.....	December 1, 1924
Appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter.....	May 2, 1935
Promoted to Fire Lieutenant	May 11, 1950
Deceased — February 23, 1953	

CHIEF JAMES F. HANNA, Retired

Appointed a Call Fireman	May 1, 1909
Appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter	July 15, 1912
Promoted to Fire Captain	April 8, 1916
Promoted to Drill Master	June 10, 1920
Promoted to Deputy Fire Chief	May 15, 1928
Appointed Chief of Fire Department.....	January 1, 1940
Retired — February 11, 1948	
Deceased — March 23, 1953	

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

FIRE FIGHTER M. JOSEPH MANNING, Retired

Appointed a Call Fireman June 10, 1907

Appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter October 15, 1914

Retired — July 15, 1949

Deceased — June 28, 1953

Both the Fire Department and the Town of Milton have lost loyal and faithful servants.

Apparatus

On October 26, 1953, the new 750 gallon triple combination pump, Seagrave, was received, accepted and put into service as Engine #2 and is operated out of Engine #2 Station, East Milton.

Old Engine #2, Maxim, has been retained as an emergency piece and placed at Blue Hill Station to be used as an emergency spare piece for woods and forest fires.

The 1938 Diamond T which has been retained as the spare piece since 1949 was traded.

General repairs and overhauling was necessary and made by the Department mechanic on all pieces of motor apparatus during the year and all of the fire apparatus is in very good condition.

All of the pieces of apparatus and the Chief's car are equipped with Motorola mobile radio equipment and alternators which has proved most satisfactory and efficient. This equipment has periodic inspections which maintains it for top performance.

Buildings

Occupancy of the New East Milton Fire Station was made by the Department on April 1, 1953.

General repairs, maintenance and upkeep were made at all three Fire Stations through-out the year.

The exterior of Engine #4 Station is in dire need of exterior painting and I recommend that this work be done in order to preserve the exterior woodwork and shingles of the building.

Recommendations

This year I recommend that the 1948 Chrysler Sedan, the Chief's car, be traded as the repair and maintenance of this vehicle to keep it running will be most costly.

A further recommendation is for the appointment of three additional fire fighters in order to man Ladder #2 more efficiently.

Attention is called to the growth and development of the Town in the Tucker Hill and Hillside Street areas. I suggest a committee look into the possibility of obtaining land in this district for future fire station use. Once again, I desire to stress the need for a ladder truck to be assigned at the Blue Hill Station due to the type of occupancy of some of the larger houses in that district.

To the officers and men of this Department, I take great pleasure in extending my sincere thanks for their very fine and sincere cooperation during the year. I wish to thank your Honorable Board for the many courtesies, advice and assistance rendered and to all Department officials and employees who have in any way aided this Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED E. WHELAN
Chief of Fire Department

REPORT OF FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE MILTON FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1953

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

I consider that it has been a very successful year for the Forestry Department which may be attributed for the most part by the efficient workmanship of the employees and the use of the new equipment that the Town voted for this department this past year.

The trees which are Town property and were diseased with the Dutch Elm disease have pretty much all been accounted for as is indicated by the following destruction schedule:

1952		1953	
Town trees-Dutch Elm	118	Town trees-Dutch Elm	30
Private-Dutch Elm	68	Private-Dutch Elm	110
Other trees	143	Other trees	500

Our greatest problem for Dutch Elm control at present is the cooperation of the Private citizen in reporting their diseased trees and ordering them removed at their expense as soon as we have given them a quotation. Also the Metropolitan District Commission and the State are behind in their program for lack of funds and manpower. When a tree has become a safety hazard we have sought and obtained the State's permission to remove it in several incidents. We are now able to quote lower prices to the private citizen in the removal of diseased trees because of the efficiency of the new McCullough chain saw voted last March. We have asked for a second saw of this type which if approved will further reduce the cost of tree removal for the private citizen.

Our 1946 Ford truck has cost \$350.00 in repairs in 1953 and is estimated to cost in repairs \$635.00 in 1954 if not replaced. The Department has asked for a replacement vehicle to cost \$2605.00 which is considered an economy in the light of the comparative expenses involved.

In 1953 the new tree appropriation was reduced from \$1000.00 to \$500.00 but 100 new trees have been planted in the Town on the cooperative system particularly with the people living in newly accepted street sections. For those that are interested we invite inquiry at the Forestry Office.

The Department has worked closely with the other departments of the Town and we sincerely thank them for the help that they have afforded us. This year we hope to be able to lend further assistance to the Cemetery Department as there are numerous trees that need attention.

It is the desire of the Forestry and Highway Department to improve the general appearance of the entrance and grounds of their area on Randolph Avenue, particularly as new houses have been recently built adjacent to the property. We have done a small amount of work over the past year in spare time and it is hoped that we may make a vast improvement this next year without benefit of any special appropriation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. AMES
Tree Warden

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

Submitted herewith is the Annual Report of your Board of Health for the year ended December 31, 1953.

The Board organized on March 10, 1953, elected Paul R. Withington, M.D., Chairman, Paul V. McPeake, Secretary and appointed Edwin S. Warrell as Agent on a full time basis. Also appointed were Howard A. Smith as Inspector of Milk, G. Frank Kemp as Agent for the issuance of burial permits, Robert H. Sewell, DVM., as Inspector of Slaughter, Alvah H. Snow, James F. Hannon and Freaney and Company as General Contractors.

Communicable Diseases

Following is a table of diseases declared dangerous to the public health reported during the year and, for comparative study, those reported during the years 1948 through 1953:

	1953	1952	1951	1950	1949	1948
Chicken Pox	239	79	134	39	166	75
Diphtheria	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dog Bite	95	77	87	84	61	65
Dysentery, Bacillary	5	1	0	0	0	0
German Measles	83	170	12	44	27	2
Measles	212	493	147	60	31	288
Meningitis	0	0	1	0	1	1
Mumps	63	19	112	59	33	207
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	0	0	1	0	0	0
Poliomyelitis	6	1	0	3	22	0
Salmonellosis	0	7	1	0	0	0
Scarlet Fever	6	17	17	23	54	19
Tuberculosis	6	9	10	8	7	15
Whooping Cough	2	1	19	54	30	6
Chancroid	0	0	0	1	0	0
Gonorrhea	1	0	0	0	2	2
Syphilis	8	5	6	3	4	1
TOTAL BY YEARS	726	879	548	378	438	681

The incidence of reportable diseases is in keeping with the incidence in the Commonwealth as a whole. Milton shared in the flare-up of bacillary dysentery through the State, but the five cases reported were confined to two families.

Although the table shows six cases of poliomyelitis, four other Milton residents were ill with this disease while living elsewhere during the summer. Of the total of ten such cases, two were terminated by death.

The Board takes this opportunity to express its sincere thanks to the local physicians for their cooperation in reporting diseases promptly to the office and to remind householders of their responsibility in reporting communicable diseases in the absence of a physician.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Immunization Clinics

The Annual immunization clinics for school children were conducted during the last three months of the year in the various school buildings, with the cooperation of school department personnel. Four hundred and ninety-three children from kindergarten to Junior High school age were administered protection against diphtheria and tetanus either through complete courses or booster inoculations of double antigen. In addition, fifty-six pre-school children were administered a triple antigen giving protection against whooping cough as well as diphtheria and tetanus at the well-child conferences conducted by the Visiting Nurse Association.

Dental Clinics

The dental clinic, although operating on a Board of Health appropriation, continues to be administered by the Superintendent of Schools. A detailed report of this activity may be found in the report of the School Committee.

Chest Conference

The chest conference is a coordinated study of medical history, physical conditions and chest x-ray findings on active and arrested tuberculosis cases, exposed contacts and persons having active pulmonary symptoms. While the primary object of this conference is the detection of pulmonary tuberculosis, the field covered is by no means limited to this disease. The lung tumor, the enlarged heart and various pulmonary abnormalities are noted and referred to the private physician. As the incidence of tuberculosis recedes, the general field of lung diseases will become of increasing importance.

During the year being reported upon, eleven conferences were held by Dr. Cleaveland Floyd and were attended by 166 individuals. One new case of active tuberculosis and one case of lung tumor were revealed. Fifty-four individuals were discharged from the conferences during the year.

Attendance at the conferences is by referral of a physician only, through appointment made with the Board of Health or the Visiting Nurse Association. Persons wishing chest x-ray examination without referral by a physician may have it without cost at the Quincy Health Center by calling MAYflower 9-4500 for appointment.

Hospitalization

During the year, fifteen residents were hospitalized by this Board for tuberculosis and one for infectious hepatitis.

In addition, the Board was called upon to give financial assistance for the hospitalization of three of the twenty-one premature infants born to Milton settled persons during the year, as provided for in the General Laws.

Milk Sanitation

Your milk supply continued to be of excellent quality. During the year 387 samples of milk and cream were collected and tested for fat content, milk solids, bacteria and completeness of pasteurization by Howard A. Smith, Inspector of Milk, in our State approved laboratory. Since the first part of the year the coliform count of all milk and cream samples has also been determined. This test is to determine contamination after pasteurization. Eight samples of ice cream were also collected and tested for fat, bacteria and proper pasteurization.

In addition to issuing required licenses to all persons dealing in milk, ice cream and oleomargarine, this Inspector exercised careful supervision of local milk producing farms and pasteurization plants to insure clean, wholesome milk and milk products.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Food Sanitation

A survey of all places serving food or drink to the public, preliminary to the adoption of new rules and regulations pertaining to such establishments, was completed during the year. With the adoption of these rules and regulations in the coming year, a program of regular supervision of all restaurants, soda fountains and other food handling places, including bacteriological examination of dishes, glasses and eating utensils will be instituted. To assist owners and managers, it is the intent of the Board to offer courses for food handlers on the necessity of personal hygiene, dangers lurking in poorly washed utensils and the diseases commonly carried by foods.

Rodent Control

The problem of rodent control continues to be important with the general increase in building. Proper sanitation, consisting chiefly of adequate refuse storage, collection and disposal practices is one of the most effective measures available for controlling rats. Sanitation and rat control go hand in hand. It is impractical to attempt to control rats through a general poisoning program unless other steps are taken also. Rats are a potential public health menace and the lack of good sanitation encourages their presence.

Garbage should be stored only in metal containers which do not leak and which are equipped with tight fitting covers while rubbish should be stored only in covered containers, preferably of lightweight metal, between collections. By using cardboard boxes and paper bags, ample food and shelter are available to rats.

Rodent control measures are carried out at the Town dump and have proved most effective.

The rodent control program which has been under the Board of Selectmen will be transferred to this Board on April 1, 1954.

Rubbish-Garbage Collection and Disposal

A new contract for the collection of rubbish and garbage was effected on May 1st, and has resulted in much more efficient removal of such material throughout the Town. The contractor is required to collect garbage from all homes twice weekly and rubbish once each week. All garbage is removed from the Town for feeding to hogs while general rubbish is taken to the Town dump.

On May 1st, the contractor was authorized to dispose of all rubbish collected in the Town-owned dump off Lyman Road under supervision for immediate burning, load by load. On June 23rd, due to action instituted by fifteen couples living near the land used for dumping, a temporary injunction against the Town from burning the rubbish was issued in Superior Court. After a trial before a Master which lasted all summer, the injunction was removed on October 10th, at which time the burning of rubbish, load by load, was resumed. The case is still pending final decision of the Superior Court Justice at the end of the year.

Civil Defense

Carrying out its duties in Civil Defense, the Board organized a mass blood typing program to determine the group and RH factor of residents for use in an emergency. Using the American Legion hall and St. Agatha's school, the State typing team provided this service to approximately 1500 persons. In addition to providing cards to each individual showing the blood group and RH factor, a duplicate card is on file in the Civil Defense records of this Board of Health. The Board wishes to thank the Milton Council of Girl Scouts for their valuable assistance in organizing this program and during it.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Inspection of Slaughtering

The Inspector of Slaughter, Dr. Robert H. Sewell, reports that no slaughtered animals were presented to him to determine fitness for human consumption during the year. His reports, as required by the Department of Public Health, were submitted in due form.

General

In addition to the duties now being performed by this Board, the Town dump, rodent control and the Inspector of Animals will be transferred from the Selectmen to them on April 1, 1954.

During the coming year, all rules and regulations excepting those adopted during the year reported upon, will be revised and brought up to date.

Conclusion

In conclusion, this Board recommends the acquisition of the Dalerio property, so called, for use as a dump for rubbish and the construction of a road off Randolph Avenue, opposite Reed Street, as an entrance and exit to the dump. By so doing the Town will have adequate dumping grounds for approximately 100 years and will not be faced with the very expensive MDC incinerator.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL R. WITHINGTON, M.D., Chairman

PAUL V. McPEAKE, Secretary

JAMES L. COOMBS, Member

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

January 7, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

We have conscientiously complied with all requests for our services during 1953.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. SCHMIDT

GEORGE N. HURD, JR.

Fence Viewers

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

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Milton, Massachusetts, January 7, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the Wire Department for the year ending December 31, 1953.

Number of inspections made.....	1,864
Number of certificates issued	424
Number of incandescent lamps wired	12,054
Number of motors installed	674
Total horse power	409
Number of heaters and ranges installed	430
Total watts	4,129,500

Permits were issued as follows:

Month	Total No. Permits Granted	Original	Alterations	Fees Received
January	75	10	65	\$ 128.15
February	73	20	53	150.90
March	55	13	42	99.15
April	56	7	49	103.65
May	69	13	56	121.60
June	72	13	59	149.90
July	76	12	64	140.80
August	94	12	82	155.40
September	97	10	87	158.60
October	115	14	101	175.15
November	90	15	75	155.75
December	76	7	69	111.95
	948	146	802	\$1,651.00

Fees for the above permits amounting to One Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty-One Dollars (\$1,651.00) have been collected and paid to the Town Treasurer.

Fire and Police Alarm Signals

New Fire Alarm Boxes have been installed at the following locations:

- 137 Hudson Street and Pagoda Circle
- 316 Silver Brook Road
- 346 Mathaurs Street and Clay Street
- 347 Gerald Road and Phyllis Lane
- 421 Brook Road and Churchills Lane
- 654 Governors Road and Warner Road
- 5612 1200 Brush Hill Road—Saint Columban Missionary College
- 4121 Canton Avenue—New Glover School
- 412 Relocated to School Street at #167

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

New Lines Installed for Above Boxes

Brush Hill Road from Fire Box 561 to Saint Columban Missionary College, box 5612	2,200 ft.
Gerald Road from Fire Box 343 to Box 347	2,000 ft.
Mathaurs Street from Pleasant Street to Box 346	2,000 ft.
Silver Brook Road from corner of Hillside Street and Blue Hill River Road to Box 316	3,000 ft.
Churchills Lane from Centre Street to Box 421.....	2,000 ft.
Governors Road from Edge Hill Road to Box 654.....	2,000 ft.
Pagoda Circle from Ferncroft Road to Box 137.....	1,500 ft.
New Glover School from Canton Avenue to Box 4121.....	700 ft.

Replacements

Installed bells, tappers, registers, etc., in the New Fire Station located in East Milton Square.

Removed all wiring in temporary quarters at Warshaw's and Kelley's Garage, Inc.

Installed air compressor in East Milton Fire Station, also, installed emergency lighting plant in same station.

Painted all Fire Alarm Boxes.

Overhauled the emergency lighting plant at Central Fire Station.

Installed new batteries on one Fire Alarm Circuit.

Replaced pipe and cable underground to Fire Box 3431.

The Wire Department moved from temporary quarters back to permanent quarters in the New Fire Station in East Milton Square.

Wire was replaced in the Fire Alarm System at the following locations:

Central Avenue from Kerrigan's Corner to Police Station	5,200 ft.
Granite Avenue at Squantum Street and Granite Avenue at Guilford Road	2,500 ft.
Reedsdale Road from Kerrigan's Corner to rear of Central Fire Station on Walnut Street	2,000 ft.
Hillside Street from Randolph Avenue to Blue Hill River Road (Box 315)	15,800 ft.
Morton Road from Canton Avenue to Box 431.....	1,500 ft.
Blue Hills Parkway from Canton Avenue to Box 521.....	3,000 ft.

Loom cable was replaced in the Police Alarm System at the following locations:

Canton Avenue from Town Hall to Reedsdale Road (4 wire)....	700 ft.
Lincoln Street from Brook Road to Thacher Street (2 wire).....	900 ft.
Dollar Lane from Blue Hill Avenue to Canton Avenue (4 wire)...	500 ft.
Blue Hill Avenue from Engine 4 on Blue Hill Avenue (4 wire)...	1,200 ft.
Ridge Road from Brook Road to Hinckley Road.....	1,100 ft.

Painted all Police and Terminal Boxes.

A flood light was installed in Milton Village at the corner of Adams Street and Eliot Street to assist Police Officer directing traffic.

Traffic Lights

The following traffic lights were replaced due to accidents:

At Randolph Avenue and Centre Street three lights were replaced during the year.

Canton Avenue and Reedsdale Road.

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

All traffic lights were painted and new bulbs installed.

A new traffic light was installed for pedestrians at Adams Street and Church Street. Considerable work has been done for the various Town Departments.

I wish to thank your Honorable Board for your advice and assistance during the year, all Town Departments for their cooperation, also, the members of the Wire Department for their excellent work.

Respectfully submitted,

M. R. MACMILLAN
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

December 31, 1953

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1953.

There were ninety-five dogs quarantined for biting persons.

Fifteen farms were visited and inspected.

There were no positive cases of rabies in the town during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ANN HEFLER, D.V.M.
Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF BUILDING DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Milton, Massachusetts, January 7, 1954

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the Building Department for the year ending December 31, 1953.

Month	Number of Permits	Permits for New Dwellings	Permits for New Garages	All Other	Permits for Alter- ations	Valuation	Fees Received
January	29	7	8	0	14	\$ 186,190.00	\$ 198.00
February	19	5	6	0	8	39,525.00	46.00
March	38	8	7	1	22	85,135.00	102.00
April	55	16	14	1	24	482,871.00	502.00
May	47	14	11	1	21	120,685.00	141.00
June	81	24	26	0	31	217,235.00	252.00
July	44	4	1	1	38	204,155.00	225.00
August	55	9	10	2	34	103,915.00	131.00
September	70	15	17	0	38	154,754.00	191.00
October	52	10	13	0	29	112,280.00	135.00
November	36	2	4	1	29	1,040,585.00	361.00
December	34	5	7	0	22	48,783.00	69.00
	560	119	124	7	310	\$2,796,113.00	\$2,253.00

On April 6, 1953, Lorenzo E. Young, Inspector of Plumbing and John M. Hanigan, Deputy Inspector of Plumbing, were re-appointed for one year.

Carl R. Horne, Building Inspector for the past eleven years, was retired on November 30, 1953.

On March 30, 1953, I was appointed Building Inspector for one year.

On April 6, 1953, George P. Blenkorn was appointed Deputy Building Inspector for one year.

I wish to extend to the Honorable Board of Selectmen my sincere appreciation for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. BURT

Building Inspector

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Milton, Mass., December 31, 1953

John H. Burt, Inspector
Building Department
Town Hall, Milton, Mass.

Dear Sir:

The following schedule is a summary of the work of the Department of Inspection of Plumbing for the year 1953:

Month	Total No. Permits granted	Original work	Alterations	Fees received	Valuation of work
January	32	12	20	\$ 100.00	\$ 16,865.00
February	26	9	17	79.00	19,795.00
March	40	16	24	128.00	21,415.00
April	38	10	28	106.00	16,280.00
May	50	14	36	142.00	29,263.00
June	35	11	24	103.00	17,315.00
July	51	16	35	150.00	28,345.00
August	43	13	30	125.00	19,328.00
September	31	7	24	83.00	16,090.00
October	30	9	21	87.00	16,500.00
November	32	13	19	103.00	20,550.00
December	36	9	27	99.00	15,570.00
Totals	444	139	305	\$1,305.00	\$237,316.00

Fees for permits in the amount of Thirteen Hundred and Five Dollars (\$1,305.00) have been received and have been paid to the Town Treasurer, whose receipts for the same are held by me.

Respectfully submitted,

LORENZO E. YOUNG
Inspector of Plumbing

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Milton, Mass., January 7, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of Weights and Measures.

All moneys received on account of sealing and adjusting fees have been paid to Town Treasurer. This amounts to \$252.30.

Number of Scales, Weights and Measures Sealed.....	475
Number adjusted	83
Number condemned	10
Number reweighings	1031
Number found underweight.....	198
Number found overweight.....	833

Goods Underweight and Ordered Repacked

Beans	45
Butter	30
Dry Commodities	26

Deliveries to Town Measured or Reweighed

Total Weight of Material measured or reweighed.....	268,000 lbs.
Deliveries Inspected	13
Deliveries found short.....	6
Deliveries found over.....	7

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK L. RIPLEY
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF PARK DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

December 31, 1953

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Park Commissioners is pleased to make its report of activities during 1953.

Early in the spring the usual cleaning, seeding and fertilizing of the grounds under our care was carried out. The athletic fields were rolled, equipment placed in position and made ready for use as early as possible.

The Brook Road Playground which furnishes the necessary athletic grounds for the senior high school program must receive the earliest attention, for almost as soon as work can commence the different teams are chaffing to be out to practice.

The second basketball court which had been started in the fall of 1952 was finished in the spring. These courts are kept very busy and are very well worth the expenditure necessary to construct them.

The eight tennis courts at Brook Road were busy up until Thanksgiving day, the latest closing date that can be remembered.

The further grading of the Mary Chase Lane Memorial Playground was postponed because there was not enough money available to proceed. It is hoped that this grading will be continued in 1954.

One hundred feet of chain-link fence was constructed along Churchills Lane to prevent children from dashing out upon the highway.

The summer recreation program was carried on during July and August at the Brook Road Playground, Eliot Street Playground and the Orin A. Andrews Playground in East Milton. The attendance and interest was high although there is a falling off in August due to so many people going away on vacation.

The Park Department co-operated in the Little League program by equipping and caring for the diamond upon the Central High School field.

About an acre of ground was loamed and seeded at the Andrews Playground in the fall. This will make possible the re-location of the baseball diamond which has been too close to private properties and has made a hardship for nearby residents.

In the near future a high-speed highway will be built through East Milton. A substantial part of the East Milton Playground, which was partially developed under the Works Progress program, will be taken to construct this road.

The Board of Park Commissioners voted to cancel any future development of this area as a playground. This will leave the Town free to sell the land and possibly ease the hardship to persons displaced by the construction of the new highway. A small area will also be sold to St. Agatha's Church to enlarge the present school yard.

The Park Department has been pleased to assist in the annual clean-up program.

Our appreciation and thanks are extended to our employees, to all other Town Departments, and to your Honorable Board for the assistance and co-operation afforded our Department during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD S. HALLIDAY, Chairman

M. JOSEPH MANNING, JR., Secretary

ELBURT P. FLETCHER

Board of Park Commissioners

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

January 8, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1953.

Arrests

Total	220
Males	209
Females	11

Offenses

Adultery	2
Assault and battery	14
Assault with dangerous weapon	2
A W O L from U.S. Armed Forces	3
Breaking and entering and larceny	1
Delinquency	18
Disturbing public assembly	1
Drunkenness	59
Escape from institution	2
Extortion, attempt	1
False alarms, ringing of	4
Indecent exposure of person	1
Larceny	3
Larceny of automobile	1
Lord's Day, violating	1
Motor vehicle laws, violating	87
Non-payment of wages	1
Non-support	7
Threats	2
Town By-laws, violating	1
Tramp	1
Trespass	1
Using motor vehicle without authority	5
Violation of probation	2

Miscellaneous Work

Ambulance calls	389
Automobile accidents	234
(193 personal injuries—2 deaths)	
Automobiles found abandoned	13
Automobiles reported stolen	9
Bicycles registered	205
Buildings found open and made secure	467
Buildings broken into	65
Cases investigated by officers	3510
Dead bodies cared for	11
Defective bridges	2

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Defective hydrants and pipes.....	17
Defective poles	23
Defective streets and sidewalks.....	30
Defective trees	11
Defective wires	43
Disturbances suppressed	49
Dogs ordered restrained.....	114
Houses reported vacant and special attention requested.....	1431
Lost children restored.....	38
Missing persons reported.....	21
Insane persons taken in charge.....	37
Motor vehicle licenses suspended.....	61
Officers detailed at request of citizens.....	299
Sick and injured persons assisted.....	149
Street obstructions removed.....	37
Writs served for other departments.....	573

There were a few cases of vandalism during the year caused by juveniles. A few of the offenders were brought into Court but most of these cases were settled in the police station. Our newly formed detective department has been very helpful in solving many of the crimes committed.

The demand for ambulance service continues to increase. Our cruising cars are in use day and night and I recommend they be replaced.

Our radio system is in good working order and is a great aid to the department.

The parking of automobiles on streets adjacent to the Rapid Transit Line is still a problem. More automobiles than ever are using these streets.

Mr. Howard S. Patterson, Director of Civil Defense, has his headquarters in the station. Deputy Richard F. Chamberlain heads our Auxiliary Police of 150 members. Meetings are held each month and instructions are given in civil defense activities and police procedure.

Patrolmen John A. Chamberlain and William H. Byrnes retired during the year and Patrolman William C. Skinner resigned. Thomas F. Murphy, Gerard R. Mat-taliano and Vincent G. Mason were appointed to the department.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Justices, Clerks and Probation Officers of the Courts, also the Town Departments who assisted us during the year. I appreciate the loyal services of the members of the department.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. SHIELDS
Chief of Police

REPORT OF MILTON PLANNING BOARD

REPORT OF THE MILTON PLANNING BOARD

January 6, 1954

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Planning Board has had an active year, having held 23 regular meetings and several special meetings and informal hearings. Subdivisions require a large portion of the Board's time both for public hearings and decisions. During the 1953 Legislative Session, Chapter 41 of the General Laws was amended so that the Planning Board now operates under a revised "Subdivision Control Law".

Early in January a public hearing was held, after a complete study of the Town had been made, with a suggestion of five residential zoning amendments. From the consensus of opinion of a very large attendance at this hearing, the Board felt that any changes in the existing residential districts should be postponed.

A public hearing was held regarding suggested changes and enlargements in the East Milton business district to compensate for business areas to be taken for the Southeast Expressway. Present at the hearing was a representative of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works who outlined the course of the new Southeast Expressway, which is to pass through the East Milton business area, eliminating certain business establishments. As the six hundred persons attending the hearing were concerned only with the location of the new highway, the Board decided to postpone for a year any recommended changes and increases in the East Milton business area, at which time the Southeast Expressway land takings would have been made.

A public hearing was held regarding the proposed extension of the business district on Eliot Street. The Board's conclusion was that a comprehensive study of the entire business area in this vicinity should be made before recommending any isolated change.

Conferences were held with the State Public Works Department and the Metropolitan District Commission in regard to State highways and other matters effecting the interests of the Town of Milton.

The Park Commissioners met with the Planning Board and a group of the residents from St. Agatha Road and Nash Street, who presented a plan for purchasing from the Town the Squantum Street Playground for a site to move their homes which are being displaced by the Southeast Expressway.

The Planning Board recently attended a meeting held by the City of Quincy regarding a proposed Metropolitan District Commission incinerator.

Mr. Arthur T. Caruso resigned from the Planning Board as his business required him to move to New York, and Mr. Ray A. Hinds was elected to fill the vacancy.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH D. LELAND, Chairman
JOHN H. BOWIE
EDWARD DYSON
RAY A. HINDS
WALTER S. ROBBINS

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

January 8, 1954

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Board of Public Welfare submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1953:

We have continued, through our office staff, to serve the general welfare of our townspeople as well as administer the four categories of public relief which provide for financial assistance and case work under Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, Disability Assistance and General Relief. Medical care has continued to be our major problem, and most of our applications for assistance were due to the high costs of hospitalization, nursing-home care, and allied medical services. This has been a state-wide condition, and because of it, the State Department of Public Welfare has prepared a Medical Care Plan which is to become effective in all the cities and towns of the Commonwealth in 1954, in order to have uniform control in providing, approving and paying for all items of medical care for public assistance recipients. This will necessitate a change in our own office procedures.

There has been a decided decrease in the number of applications for Old Age Assistance, and we feel that this is due in great part to the extended coverage and increased benefits of Old Age & Survivors Insurance; also, with the present lien on real estate, which law became effective January 1, 1952, the older citizens hesitate to apply for aid although the law in no way causes hardship to the recipient or spouse. From 1946 to 1952, the average number of applications received was sixty-eight a year. In 1953 there were only twenty-eight applications for Old Age Assistance! At the close of year, there were one hundred and eighty-nine persons receiving this type of relief — showing a 14.4% decrease over the past five years. The national trend is also downward, but not to such a high percentage.

The number of families assisted under Aid to Dependent Children remains about the same. During the year there were seven families accepted, while six were discontinued, thus ending the year with fourteen. We have not exceeded seventeen during the year at one time. The purpose of the Aid-to-Dependent-Children program is to provide for the needs of the dependent child, living in his own home with his mother or qualified relative, to maintain a normal, wholesome life in the community, and to work toward the goal that the family may become self-supporting. It is interesting to note that half of the families are in need of assistance because of the death or incapacity of the father; aid to the remaining families is due to the non-support by the father who is away either by desertion or divorce. In these latter cases, every effort must be made by this Board to see that the absent parent provides financial support by taking legal action in local courts. In the cases where the person has removed himself to another state, legal action may be taken in the state where he resides under the Uniform Enforcement of Support Act. The State has recently ruled that where a dependent-children family is living in the home of relatives assistance shall be on a "cost basis." This will result in a reduction in grants to some of our families, thus placing more responsibility on the relatives.

We have just completed the second year of Disability Assistance. This is aid to disabled persons eighteen years of age or over, and like the above categories of relief, is administered under the Federal and State laws and regulations. At the close of the year there were eighteen persons receiving Disability Assistance—twice as many as a year ago. The State Medical Review Team determines medical eligibility and sets the period for which assistance may be approved. In addition to

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

financial aid, the services provided in this program enable some disabled persons to regain health and become self-supporting.

With increased applications for General Relief in 1953 came increased problems. There is no Federal or State reimbursement in this category. It is entirely by local policy and financed solely by the town, except for reimbursement for those with no legal settlement in Milton. This assistance is given, usually for short periods of time, to persons in need who are not eligible for aid under any other category. General Relief was granted for the following reasons: one family due to unemployment, three because of illness, two due to desertion and three because of incarceration of the wage earner. Persons reported by hospitals to be medically indigent are also placed under this category, and it is the duty of our office to determine whether or not public welfare is financially responsible.

For those interested, the following specific data is given:

Number of Old Age Assistance cases at close of year from 1949-1953:

December 31, 1949 —	221
" 1950 —	219
" 1951 —	206
" 1952 —	204
" 1953 —	189

Number of Old Age Assistance *applications* from 1946-1953:

Applications in 1946 —	68
" " 1947 —	67
" " 1948 —	72
" " 1949 —	67
" " 1950 —	68
" " 1951 —	50
" " 1952 —	57
" " 1953 —	28

Reasons for closing Old Age Assistance cases in 1953:

By death	26
By removal	9
Other causes	6

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There were fourteen Disability Assistance applications in 1953, of which thirteen were granted.

In addition to the direct applications for relief there was a larger than usual number of "notices" from hospitals asking our Board to be responsible for unpaid hospital bills. In the aggregate these claims amount to several thousand dollars. These have been from the following:

Boston City Hospital	32
Milton Hospital	26
Other hospitals	9

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most of which require extensive investigation. Many are accident cases involving expensive treatment, but in those cases where insurance is involved immediate payment is not routine, but is deferred sometimes for long periods until it is certain that insurance will not cover and that the patient is unable to pay his own bill.

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The members of our staff have continued to serve and perform their duties conscientiously; they have attended welfare meetings and conferences to avail themselves of up-to-date changes and trends in the field of Public Welfare and Social Work; they have made many new contacts and have visited specialized schools, hospitals and nursing homes.

The Board of Public Welfare and its staff express appreciation for the co-operation and services of the other Town Departments, Milton Hospital, Milton Visiting Nurse and Social Service League, Milton Red Cross, Milton Elks and to all who have helped in our work. We especially thank the doctors, who in addition to their interest and care of assistance recipients, must give much of their valuable time to submit many required medical reports.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. JOHNSON, 2d, Chairman

JOSEPH J. O'BRIEN

EDITH ENDICOTT STEBBINS

OLIVER S. SUGHRUE

FLORENCE CLOTHIER WISLOCKI, M.D.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE
MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

January 7, 1954

To the Citizens of Milton:

The report of Miss Marjorie R. Shaw, Librarian of the Milton Public Library, is submitted herewith as part of the report of the Trustees.

The Committee appointed by the Moderator have completed the inquiry into the needs of the library for additional space, and the Trustees wish to express their appreciation to Mr. Copeland Draper and the other members of his committee for their thorough investigation of the activities of the library and their sympathetic understanding of its problems. The plans which they have submitted for the enlargement of the Central Library have been unanimously approved by the Trustees.

We wish also to acknowledge with thanks the many gifts of books contributed to the library by residents of the town.

The Trustees want to again express their appreciation to the entire staff for their tireless efforts to serve the town, and their patience under frequently trying and crowded working conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES F. BALLARD
DORIS A. BRIDGES
C. RODGERS BURGIN
BOWMAN GRATON
JOHN B. MOORE
ARTHUR B. PERRY
RUTH E. PIERCE
ROGER WOLCOTT
CARLETON R. RICHMOND, Chairman

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Board of Trustees of the Milton Public Library I have the honor of presenting the annual report for the year ending December 31, 1953.

A library should be "a communications center, not a museum" states a recent publication. This phrase is a good summary of the modern concept of library service. Books are no longer chained to the shelves as they were in mediaeval libraries, and librarians no longer gauge their success by the tidy rows of books in stock. Library materials (and today this means books, pamphlets, magazines, pictures, phonograph records, and films) should show a constant turnover, and there should be an increasing demand for the library's services. The modern library cannot stay within its walls. Its services should extend to all the community where library materials can be of assistance—either for recreation, information, education, guidance, or research. This past year the Milton Library has been busier than ever answering the many calls for help from every part of the community.

Services

Circulation of materials—Miss Nancy McIntyre is in charge of the service desk, assisted by the entire staff.

187,391 books were circulated—an increase of 13,686 over last year.

1612 phonograph records were taken out of the library. This is twice the number that circulated last year. A gift of \$2,034 from the Milton Education Society made possible many new additions to the record collection. Miniature scores to use with the symphonic records are now being purchased.

5804 magazines circulated this year. This was an increase of 400 over last year.

Cataloging and processing—Mrs. Nathan Pond is in charge of this department, assisted by Miss Mary Flaherty and Mrs. William Simpson.

4,314 books were billed, classified, cataloged, pasted, and labelled. This is a decrease of about 300 books. Rising costs have limited the number of books we can buy.

Reference department—Mrs. Grace Busse is in charge, assisted by the entire staff. There has been a noticeable increase in questions from business men and college students.

School libraries—Mrs. Clifton Jeffery, Children's Librarian, is in charge of two elementary school libraries at the Pierce School and the Belcher School.

Combined circulation of books at these schools totalled 22,976. The enthusiasm of both teachers and pupils proves to us that this service is no longer an experiment.

Hospital service—The weekly book truck visit to Milton Hospital patients is in charge of Mrs. Pond, assisted by volunteers from the Hospital Auxiliary. They circulated 1911 books and magazines this year.

Playgrounds—During the summer weeks bookmobile service to the playgrounds is in charge of Miss Sylvia Watson. She reads stories and discusses books with her interested small patrons.

Interlibrary loans—This service is in charge of Miss McIntyre. Non-fiction books borrowed from our neighboring libraries totalled 18.

Several libraries (including one from Vermont) borrowed from us.

Other book services—Miss Flaherty sends out books to one rest home, the police station, and the fire stations. These collections are changed periodically during the year. 535 books were circulated to these agencies.

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Reserved books—This service is in charge of Miss McIntyre, assisted by Miss Marjorie Syberts. The borrower is notified when the books requested come in. These two staff members also send out the overdue notices and keep records of the circulation of materials and of fines collected (\$3,063 in 1953).

Binding and mending—All books are kept in good condition by Mrs. Simpson in charge of binding, and Miss Watson in charge of mending. Book replacement funds are stretched much further by these two people.

Stack revision—Book stacks open to the public constantly get out of order. Miss Syberts is in charge of shelving the books in place. She is assisted by three part-time high school pages.

Clerical work—Bookkeeping, billing, fund accounts, and payrolls are kept in order by Mrs. Gordon Campbell.

Children's and Young Adult department—Working under difficulties of crowded quarters, and a book collection split into three different rooms, Mrs. Jeffery in charge and Miss Watson, assistant, report a circulation of 19,188 books at Central Library.

3202 children in the town are registered as borrowers of library books.

Young adult work is practically at a standstill because of lack of space for both the books and the teen-age patrons.

Bookmobile service—Bookmobile service to the branch libraries, and all the other agencies requesting our materials is in charge of Mr. Kenwood Cappers, assisted by Mr. George Ritchie.

Branch Libraries

East Milton Branch—This library is under the direction of Mrs. Winnifred Russell, assisted by Mrs. Mildred Carlson. Mr. Andrew Landstrom is the custodian in this branch.

New book shelving was installed in the juvenile section here. Also a new card catalog case was added to the reading room.

Circulation of adult books	31,903
Circulation of juvenile books	13,196
Total circulation	45,099
Registered borrowers	2,735

Kidder Branch Library—Miss Anna Nimeskern is librarian at Kidder Branch. She is assisted by Mrs. Katharine Berberian. Mr. Ritchie is the custodian in charge at Kidder Branch.

The cataloging project is well under way here, and a new catalog case will be added in 1954.

New shelving has also been installed in this branch.

The basic juvenile book collection has been checked and augmented where necessary.

Circulation of adult books	23,445
Circulation of juvenile books	9,841
Total circulation	33,286
Registered borrowers	2,224

Scotts Woods Reading Room—Mrs. Christine Calderwood, librarian in charge, reports that she has too few hours when the branch is open, cramped space, and

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

limited book stock. These problems will have to be solved soon, as this branch increases in popularity.

Circulation of books here was 4,110.

Building Improvements

Central building

Grill work was installed on rear first floor windows.

Kidder Hall was painted and the floors here and in the stacks refinished. Mirrors were added to improve control of the service desk from the offices.

New shrubs were planted and others moved to better locations at the front of this building.

East Milton Branch

Improved outside lighting at the side of the building.

Kidder Branch

Snow cleats were added on the roof to protect the gutters and the front walks from falling snow.

Mr. Cappers, Senior Custodian, is in charge of buildings and all matters pertaining to their repair and upkeep. He is assisted by the custodians at the branch libraries and Mr. Harvey Chandler part-time assistant at Central.

Relocation of Books

Because the Central Library's book stacks became so crowded that new books could not be added there had to be a general relocation of all books.

Vital records and regimental histories were moved to the basement at Kidder Branch. Government documents were stored in the basement at Central. Then all the book stacks were rearranged in Dewey Decimal order. This moving has meant closing some rooms to public use. These will be reopened when a new addition relieves the crowded conditions.

Staff

This has been a year of several changes among the staff personnel. On March 9 Miss Madeleine Norton, our Records Assistant, died very suddenly. The Library was fortunate to have had the benefit of Miss Norton's superior business ability. She had worked conscientiously even thru the very day and evening of her death. She was well-liked by both staff and patrons, and her passing has saddened all who knew her.

Mrs. Walter Griffin was appointed to the staff as Library Assistant in September. She resigned in December and her position was filled by Miss Marjorie Syberts of Milton.

Mrs. Beresford Watson of Milton has assisted as a professional substitute during many emergency periods this year.

Public Relations

Talks to Community groups—During the year talks have been given by Mrs. Jeffery and the Librarian to acquaint the townspeople with library services and the new books.

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Exhibits—Exhibits in the art gallery have featured water colors, photography, oil painting, pencil sketching, jewelry making, work of local artists, children's classes, and sculpture. Exhibits are changed monthly from October to June.

Book shelf exhibits of timely interest are arranged by Mrs. Busse at Central, and by the branch librarians. Posters and signs are executed by Miss Watson and Miss Claire Marshall.

Book lists—Lists of new books added to the library are mimeographed each month by Mrs. Campbell. From time to time lists on special subjects are issued.

Newspaper publicity—Mrs. Busse writes a book column which appears in *The Milton Transcript* every other week. A monthly list of new books appears in *The Milton Record*.

Professional Activities

Staff members have attended professional meetings at Boston, Brockton, Gloucester, Cohasset, Swampscott, Beverly, Worcester, Los Angeles, Concord, N. H., and Great Barrington. At several of these meetings staff members have taken an active part in the programs.

The Librarian has visited several new libraries in Massachusetts, Connecticut and the Middle and Far West, studying building programs and new trends.

Acknowledgements

Gifts—Townpeople and others have given the library 587 volumes, 1 magazine subscription, 1 record album, and 4 dolls.

Several friends presented us with beautiful flowers and plants.

Book marks—As usual, the Milton Savings Bank has kept us supplied with attractive book marks for distribution to our patrons.

Publicity—*The Milton Record* and *The Milton Transcript* have been most generous with their column space for library activities.

I also wish to express appreciation to the entire library staff for their cooperation and loyal services during this difficult year.

MARJORIE R. SHAW
Librarian

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Statistical Report for 1953

Name of Library.....	Milton Public Library	
Date of Founding.....	1872	
Librarian	Marjorie R. Shaw	
Population Served	23,322	
Assessed valuation of the town.....	\$43,161,385	
Terms of use.....	Free for lending and reference	
Total number of agencies.....	Central Library, 3 Branch Libraries, 2 Elementary School Libraries, 1 Hospital Book Collection, 1 Rest Home, 1 Police Station, 3 Fire Stations, 40 Classroom De- posits	
Days open	297½	
Hours open each week.....	Central 63; Branches 33	
Volumes in library at beginning of year		71,075
Volumes added during the year.....		4,314
Volumes withdrawn during the year.....		1,529
Volumes in library December 31, 1953.....		73,860
Record albums in library December 31, 1953.....		289
Number of records loaned.....		1,612
Volumes of adult non-fiction loaned.....		48,506
Volumes of adult fiction loaned.....		72,454
Volumes of juvenile fiction loaned.....		43,646
Volumes of juvenile non-fiction loaned.....		22,785
Volumes loaned for school use.....		22,976
Total number of books loaned.....		187,391
Number of registered borrowers.....		9,398
Number of new borrowers in 1953.....		1,081
Percent of population registered	40.29 percent	
Per capita cost of library service to the town.....		\$3.20
Amount paid to the Town Treasurer for fines collected.....		\$3,063.78

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

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Milton, Massachusetts, January 5, 1954

To the Trustees of The Milton Public Library

There was no change during 1953 in the total amount of investments in the control of the Library Trustees. In summary, the Library funds were invested as follows at December 31, 1953:

	Book Amount	Market Value	% to Total (at Market)
U. S. Treasury Bonds.....	\$12,000.00	\$11,768.70	40.8
Railroad Bonds	4,939.13	3,396.25	11.8
Bank Stocks	3,639.74	9,408.00	32.6
Other Stocks	840.59	838.88	2.9
Deposits in Savings Banks	3,439.93	3,439.93	11.9
	<hr/> \$24,859.39	<hr/> \$28,851.76	<hr/> 100.

Within the portfolio there was one minor change and another is contemplated but neither affects the total principal amount.

In November The First National Bank declared a stock dividend and we received 1 and 7/13ths of a share for the twenty shares held in the Sarah Vose Fund. We purchased 6/13ths of a share for \$24.24 withdrawn from the principal cash of that fund.

The Draper Memorial Fund held a \$1,000.00 U. S. Saving Bond which matured on January 1, 1954. This will be reinvested in another U. S. Bond of like amount in January, 1954.

Three rights received from American Tel. & Tel. Company in 1953 were sold and the proceeds credited to income.

The market value of all investments at December 31, 1953 was slightly more than at the end of 1952. Income from investments in 1953 was practically the same as in the previous year.

Two statements are attached as part of this report. One shows the details of the investments in each fund and the other sets forth the receipts of income from those funds and the disbursements from that income. The latter statement reveals that we spent \$308.01 more than we received, principally for books.

The total expenditure in 1953 for books, periodicals and musical records, was as follows:

From donated funds:

In custody of Library Treasurer, per statement herewith		\$ 1,386.58
In custody of Town Treasurer, (see his report):		
Milton Education Society Fund		
(musical records)	\$601.80	
Oakland Hall Fund	172.00	776.80

Total from donated funds	2,163.38
From Town appropriation	8,768.37
	<hr/> \$10,931.75

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There were no purchases of books in 1953 from the Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund which is in the hands of the Town Treasurer. That fund was utilized, however, for the purchase of a record cabinet and a circulation desk costing \$240.00 and \$2,197.90 respectively.

To Miss Shaw our Librarian, to Mr. Burgin our former Treasurer and to Mrs. Gordon Campbell of the library staff who is the keeper of these records, I express my thanks for assistance and good advice graciously given.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. MOORE, Treasurer

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

TRUSTEES OF MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FUNDS IN CUSTODY OF TREASURER, JOHN B. MOORE

At December 31, 1953

		<i>Book Amount</i>	<i>Market Value</i>
Ellen Channing Fund			
\$ 500.00	Boston & Maine R. R. 1st 4 7/1/60..	\$ 486.25	\$ 352.50
500.00	Boston & Maine R.R. Inc. 4½ 7/1/70	486.25	283.75
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 5/1/54..	1,000.00	1,000.00
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 11/1/57..	1,000.00	967.00
1,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 6/15/69-64..	1,000.00	975.63
1,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 3/15/70-65..	1,000.00	970.00
3,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2¼ 6/15/62-59..	3,000.00	2,957.81
	Deposit in Milton Savings Bank.....	87.50	87.50
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		\$ 8,060.00	\$ 7,594.19
Joseph McKean Churchill Fund			
	Deposit Provident Inst. for Savings..	\$ 218.84	\$ 218.84
Consolidated Fund			
	Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank.....	\$ 62.77	\$ 62.77
Draper Memorial Fund			
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 1/1/54..	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Rose Dabney Forbes Fund			
	Deposit in Milton Savings Bank.....	\$ 100.00	\$ 100.00
Waldo Emerson Forbes Fund			
500.00	Boston & Maine R. R. 1st 4 7/1/60..	\$ 487.63	\$ 352.50
500.00	Boston & Maine R. R. Inc. 4½ 7/1/70	487.62	283.75
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		\$ 975.25	\$ 636.25
Marion D. Hollingsworth Fund			
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 8/1/61..	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 947.00
	1 share American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	108.34	156.13
	Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank.....	104.20	104.20
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		\$ 1,212.54	\$ 1,207.33
Henry P. Kidder Fund			
\$2,000.00	N. Y. Central & H. R. R.R. Lake Shore Coll. 3½ 2/1/98.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,182.50
Augusta Allen Martin Fund			
	34 shares Norfolk County Trust Co..	\$ 1,275.00	\$ 1,190.00

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Milton Woman's Club Fund

5 shares Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates 4½ Preferred Stock.....	\$ 427.50	\$ 308.75
Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank.....	170.96	170.96
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	\$ 598.46	\$ 479.71

Sarah Vose Fund

\$1,000.00	2 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	\$ 216.00	\$ 312.25
	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Pitts., Lake Erie & W. Va. Ref. 4 1/1/80.....	991.38	941.25
	204 shares Norfolk County Trust Co.	1,247.50	7,140.00
	1 share Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates		
	4½ Preferred Stock.....	88.75	61.75
	22 shares First Nat'l. Bank of Boston	1,117.24	1,078.00
	Deposit Provident Inst. for Savings..	1,025.76	1,025.76
	Deposit Suffolk Savings Bank.....	938.49	938.49
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		\$ 5,625.12	\$11,497.50

Joseph C. Whitney Fund

\$1,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2 12/15/54-52..	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
	Deposit Suffolk Savings Bank.....	85.00	85.00
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		\$ 1,085.00	\$ 1,085.00

J. Huntington Wolcott Fund

	Deposit in Milton Savings Bank.....	\$ 460.41	\$ 460.41
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Roger Wolcott Fund

2,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 12/15/69-64.	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,951.26
	Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank.....	186.00	186.00
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		\$ 2,186.00	\$ 2,137.26

TOTALS	\$24,859.39	\$28,851.76
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INCOME FROM FUNDS—YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

Balance of income cash in The New England Trust Co.—January 1, 1953	\$ 698.31
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Income from:

Ellen Channing Fund	\$ 212.18
Joseph McKean Churchill Fund	6.02
Consolidated Fund	1.72
Draper Memorial Fund	25.00
Rose Dabney Forbes Fund.....	2.50
Waldo Emerson Forbes Fund	42.50
Marion D. Hollingsworth Fund	36.86
Henry P. Kidder Fund	70.00
Augusta Allen Martin Fund	57.80
Milton Woman's Club Fund	27.20
Sarah Vose Fund	529.16
Joseph C. Whitney Fund	22.34

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

J. Huntington Wolcott Fund	11.50	
Roger Wolcott Fund	55.12	
Total income receipts.....		<u>1,099.90</u>
		\$1,798.21
Disbursements		
For books	1,386.58	
The New England Trust Co.—Custodianship of securities	16.08	
Bank service charge on checking account.....	5.25	
Total disbursed from income.....		<u>1,407.91</u>
Balance of income cash in The New England Trust Co., December 31, 1953.....		\$ 390.30

JOHN B. MOORE, Treasurer
Milton Public Library

Oakland Hall Fund

Dr.

Balance, December 31, 1952.....	\$ 309.33	
Interest received 1953.....	308.89	
		<u>\$ 618.22</u>

Cr.

Expended for books.....	172.00	
Balance December 31, 1953.....	446.22	
		<u>\$ 618.22</u>

Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund

Dr.

Balance in General Funds, December 31, 1952	\$ 4,808.30	
Received from Trustees.....	1,114.70	
		<u>\$ 5,923.00</u>

Cr.

Expended for Phonograph record cabinet	240.00	
Expended for new Circulation Desk.....	2,197.90	
Balance in General Funds, December 31, 1953	3,485.10	
		<u>\$ 5,923.00</u>

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

Milton Education Society Fund

Dr.

Balance, April 1, 1953.....	\$ 2,034.25	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,034.25

Cr.

Expended for records.....	604.80	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	1,429.45	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,034.25

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

REPORT OF THE SEWER COMMISSIONERS

January 1, 1954

The Board of Sewer Commissioners makes the following report of operations of the Sewer Department during the year ending December 31, 1953.

General

Population by the Assessors' Census of 1953.....	23,322
Estimated length of streets of the town (miles).....	98.0
Percentage of length provided with sewers.....	57.21%
Method of disposal.....	Metropolitan System

Collection Mains

	For Sewage			
	Town-built Sewers	Privately built Sewers	Total Town and Private	
LINEAR FEET:				
Total, Dec. 31, 1952.....	286,344.5	32,500.7	318,845.2	700 (storm overflow)
Extended, 1953	5,145.6	1,587.9	6,733.5	
Total, Dec. 31, 1953.....	291,490.1	34,088.6	325,578.7	
Miles	55.207	6.456	61.663	

Number of manholes	1772
Number of inverted siphons	3
Number of storm overflows	1
Number of emergency overflows	8
Number of automatic pumping stations.....	3
Linear feet of force main (6").....	1315.2
Linear feet of force main (8").....	2428.7
Linear feet of force main (12").....	960.6
Number of gate chambers on force main.....	1

House Connections

Number made during the year.....	158
Includes connections laid from sewer to house (completed)....	142
and connections laid from sewer to side line of street (incompleted)	16
Number relaid during year.....	2
Number of stoppages coming to the notice of the department.....	34

Discharge of Sewers

Estimated population using the sewer system.....	22,658
Number of buildings connected.....	5179
Includes:	
No. of buildings connected as of Dec. 31, 1952.....	5037
No. of buildings connected completely from sewer to house during 1953.....	111
No. of buildings connected from end of house connection previously run out to side line of street.....	31

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Financial

Total cost of collection mains to December 31, 1953.....	\$1,818,123.94
Bonded debt at date.....	\$ 228,000.00
Average rate of interest on bonds.....	1.461%

For details of sewer construction and maintenance accounts, reference is made to the Financial Report compiled by the Town Accountant, as shown elsewhere.

The sewer extensions made during the year were as follows:

STREET	Size of Pipe	Length (feet)	No. of MH's
BUILT BY TOWN:			
BEACON STREET from Beacon St. Circle to Smith Road	8"	368.8	2
BEACON STREET CIRCLE..... Full length	8"	1234.4	9
BRUSH HILL ROAD..... at Vose Hill Road	8"	13.4	—
CANTON AVENUE from Wendell Park (West) twd. Elm St.	10"	195.2	1
DEXTER STREET from Norman St. to opp. Ho. #89	8"	250.0	2
GIBBONS STREET from Audubon Rd. to opp. Ho. #19	8"	253.2	2
GRANITE AVENUE (West Side)..... from Pumping Station So'ly to opp. Ho. #197	8"	898.5	4
GRANITE AVENUE (West Side)..... from Squantum St. So'ly to opp. Ho. #257	8"	447.0	4
GRANITE AVENUE (West Side)..... from opp. Ho. #269 N'ly to opp. Ho. #261	8"	39.3	1
LAFAYETTE STREET from opp. Ho. #32 toward Blue Hill Ave.	8"	290.7	2
RANDOLPH AVENUE (Crossing to East Side)... opposite Ho. #736	8"	16.1	—
RANDOLPH AVENUE (West Side)..... from MH 4-60 N'ly toward Hallen Ave.	10"	197.0	—
TRUMAN HIGHWAY opposite Metropolitan Ave. (Boston)	8"	11.5	1
EASEMENT (Private Land—Wade-McCusker).... from end of 1952 work So'ly to Randolph Ave.	12"	676.2	4
EASEMENT (Private Land—Carlson) Pumping Station to Beacon St. Circle	8"	254.3	2
Total, Town-built Sewers		5145.6	34

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

STREET	Size of Pipe	Length (feet)	No. of MH's
BUILT BY PRIVATE PARTIES			
HALLEN AVENUE from opposite Lot #25 to Marshall Rd.	8"	531.1	3
MARSHALL ROAD from Hallen Ave. to opp. Ho. #7	8"	129.8	1
PHYLLIS LANE from opp. Ho. #6 to opp. Ho. #12	8"	75.1	1
UNION AVENUE Full length	8"	183.5	1
WHITELAWN AVENUE from Canton Ave. to opp. Lot #4	8"	509.4	4
EASEMENT (Private Land—Falconi) from Churchill St. to Union Ave.	8"	159.0	2
Total, Privately-built Sewers		1587.9	12
TOTALS			
Town-built Sewers		5145.6	34
Privately-built Sewers		1587.9	12
Town and Private.....		6733.5	46

Respectfully submitted,

FRED. Y. MARSHALL
JAMES F. CAMPBELL
JAMES PERRY THURBER
Board of Sewer Commissioners

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Milton, Massachusetts, January 8, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the year just ended. Our program was changed during the year due to work of an emergency nature making it impossible to do some of the work planned. Also, some of the Drainage work could not be done due to circumstances beyond our control.

The following is a list of our appropriations for 1953:

Accounts	Appropriations, Transfer, Tempo- rary Transfers & Balances from 1952	Expenditures	Balances
Highway—General Expense.....	\$142,000.00	\$134,642.48	\$ 7,357.52
Drainage	13,000.00	8,208.89	4,791.11
Permanent Construction	35,000.00	19,385.44	15,614.56
Private Work	3,000.00	2,465.81	534.19
Ferncroft Road & Victoria Street...	13,500.00	11,987.73	1,512.27*
Pagoda Street & Circle.....	14,130.00	11,515.52	2,614.48*
Prince Street	13,620.00	13,620.00	
Balances from 1952:			
Grove Street	569.26	330.48	238.78
Wendell Park	460.12	460.12	
Sidewalks: Appropriation \$ 2,500.00			
Transfer	792.36		
	3,292.36	3,292.36	
Chapter 90—Central Avenue:			
Appropriation	6,000.00		
Temporary Transfer	18,000.00		
	24,000.00	24,000.00	
Chapter 90—Maintenance:			
Appropriation	1,500.00		
Temporary Transfer	3,000.00		
	4,500.00		4,500.00
Improvement of Pine Tree Brook..	30,000.00		30,000.00*
New Equipment	4,950.00	4,932.53	17.47
*Balances to be carried forward to 1954.			

Highway—General Expense

The plowing of snow, sanding icy streets and sidewalks is charged under this account, also patching holes in streets, street cleaning, mowing roadsides and all general maintenance to Town roadways. General work under snow and ice for sanding, putting up snow fences, filling and distributing sand boxes, maintenance of

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

plowing and sanding equipment, and in the spring bringing in the fences, boxes, etc., and cleaning up of the sand from the roadways and catch basins, cost \$6,835.35. The storms cost as follows—the dates being the starting date of each storm:

January 7	\$1,004.91	February 8.....	\$ 668.90
January 8	6,776.03	February 12.....	2,094.91
February 3.....	1,926.33		

The total cost for snow and ice was \$19,306.43.

The cost for patching and road repair amounted to \$9,046.12. Street Cleaning cost \$15,299.15.

Sidewalks were built and repaired this year on various streets in the Town where they were most needed. We resurfaced the sidewalk along Canton Avenue from Whitelawn Avenue to Brook Road for the safety of the school children going to and from the new Glover School. Sidewalks were retopped on both sides of Frothingham Street and also other general repair work in other sections. The total cost for all this work was \$5,905.73. The cost for repairs to grass plots and for mowing was \$6,036.89.

The cleaning of catch basins cost \$3,069.57. We have a card system listing all streets with basins, the long streets being divided into sections, and the operator of the catch basin cleaner keeps a record in a book of all basins cleaned. These entries are posted to the cards in the office and in this way we can know if the whole Town is being covered. The maintenance of our drainage system for work other than cleaning catch basins amounted to \$3,275.42. This account shared with Drainage the cost for clearing around, cleaning out, and straightening the banks of the Pine Tree Brook. The amount charged in this account was \$4,117.90.

We cooperated with other Town Departments and Boards, as well as Civic Committees and for this work we paid out \$5,457.10. We have received assistance from other Town Departments by the loan of equipment operated by their men and we wish at this time to thank them for their cooperation which has been gratefully received.

Traffic line painting amounted to \$4,197.83, traffic control signs cost \$1,024.75, and our street and construction signs cost \$3,569.57.

Drainage

Our drainage construction is mostly winter work done between snowstorms. This year we constructed a by-pass drain to relieve the large amount of water coming down from the Blue Hills into Pine Tree Brook. This by-pass was constructed on an easement through private land diverting part of Trout Brook into an open ditch that goes to the Neponset River at Paul's Bridge. This was done at a cost of \$2,697.85.

Another drain project that was completed this year was the relocation of a surface drain on Canton Avenue across from The Ledgeway in land that is now being developed and has been laid out into lots. This drain now is on an easement between two lot lines and empties into Pine Tree Brook. The cost amounted to \$2,898.09.

The portion of the cost for cleaning Pine Tree Brook out of this account amounted to \$1,116.68.

We started a drain project in the vicinity of Canton Avenue and Brush Hill Road to take care of water coming from the Blue Hills, flooding over Canton Avenue and freezing. Part of this work was paid out of this year's appropriation amounting to \$1,194.65.

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Other general work amounted to \$301.62.

We have turned back the amount of money that would have been spent on work in an easement from Central Avenue due to the fact that we were not allowed to lower the flashboards on Turner's Pond to lower the water level in the pond and so could not pipe the now existing open trench in that section. Until some agreement can be made to lower the water in the pond this work cannot be done. The pond is now stocked with fish and leased by the Unquity Sports Club.

Permanent Construction

This year we planned to reconstruct School Street from Central Avenue to Canton Avenue, but due to the necessity of building a sidewalk on Brook Road from Randolph Avenue to Canton Avenue leading to the new Glover School, it was too late in the year to start this work. As there was no sidewalk on either side of this section of Brook Road this sidewalk project was a safety measure because of the danger to small children walking in the roadway. The cost for this sidewalk construction amounted to \$2,995.54.

Brook Road from Blue Hill Avenue to Brush Hill Road was completely reconstructed this year. The roadway was reshaped and a new Type I surface applied, both sides of the roadway were curbed and sidewalks and walls built. The cost was \$14,244.60.

A sidewalk was constructed on Highland Street from Canton Avenue to the Milton Hospital entrance for pedestrians walking to and from the hospital to the bus lines. This amounted to \$1,035.99.

Work was done in conjunction with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works on the sidewalk on Blue Hill Avenue from Prince Street to Craig Street at a cost of \$532.71.

One of our planned projects of last year was the reshaping and resurfacing of Adams Street from Wharf Street to the entrance to the Rapid Transit, but because of the construction of the new Milton Savings Bank building and the excavating of the present roadway and sidewalk in this business area, we felt that one project was enough at a time. We plan to do this work as soon as the Bank's contractor is finished in front of the new building. We have started on the subgrade for the sidewalk so that it would be safe for people using this business area. This cost \$97.05.

The difference in the account of \$479.55 was spent on School Street.

Betterment Streets

Three streets were built under the Betterment Act this year. Prince Street was entirely constructed, the sections of Ferncroft Road, Victoria Street, Pagoda Street and Circle, will be completed in the spring with the shaping of grass plots, grading and seeding being the only work left to do.

We also did some seeding and grading on Betterment Streets carried over from last year.

Sidewalks

Last year \$2,500.00 was appropriated for petitioned sidewalk work. The cost of this work is divided in half, the Town paying half the cost and the abutter the other half. Due to the fact that the requests for sidewalk construction is increasing we are asking \$3,000.00 for this work in 1954. This year we built sidewalks which were petitioned for on Audubon Road, Grove Street, Hazel Street, Orono and Thacher Streets.

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Chapter 90—Central Avenue

With the appropriation we had for Chapter 90 construction this year we resurfaced Central Avenue from Brook Road to School Street. On the Brook Road end of this roadway we excavated the center of the roadway where the old car tracks used to be, approximately 300 feet in length and 10 feet in width. We are planning to continue this resurfacing from where we left off on this roadway to the Central Avenue bridge this coming year.

Conclusion

I wish to thank our personnel for their fine cooperation all during the year.

Dr. Charles F. Brooks of the Blue Hill Observatory continues as in the past years to call and notify us of expected snowstorms or icy conditions, the forecasts for which he changes to expected conditions for our immediate vicinity. We wish to thank him for this great help before and also during storms when he lets us know of changes in expected developments.

I also wish to thank the Board for your assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. MALONEY
Superintendent of Streets

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Milton, Mass., January 8, 1954

To the Citizens of Milton:

Last year our annual report dealt principally with our concern regarding an inadequate supply of water in the Houghton's Pond area.

We summarized the finds of Metcalf & Eddy, consulting engineers, and stated that the Board favored expending about \$125,000.00 in a five year program to make available a greater amount of water for fire-fighting.

The first steps have now been taken.

At the March Town Meeting we were authorized to enter into an agreement with the Town of Canton which permits Milton to assume control and maintenance of the Canton water mains in Blue Hill Street, a part of Washington Street and a part of Green Street, thus, after connecting the Milton and Canton water pipes, providing circulation of Milton water around Great Blue Hill.

Canton, at its Town Meeting, authorized its Selectmen to sign the agreement, which had been prepared by Town Counsel Frank B. Frederick.

The contract was entered into and Milton has made a start on the program by laying 2300 feet of pipe in Hillside Street from the then existing end of our main to the end of Canton's water pipe in Blue Hill Street.

This provides for circulation around the hill and permits flow of water in either direction.

After completion a flow test was made with the assistance of Chief Fred E. Whelan of the Fire Department. As expected, the amount of water available was shown to have about doubled. This is encouraging but not entirely satisfactory for the requirements of the district.

It is planned this year to clean and cement-line the Milton water mains in Hillside Street between Harland Street and Unquity Road.

Another part of the program is to enlarge our main in Hillside Street west of Unquity Road. It is hoped that a part of this may be done in 1954.

In subsequent years it is intended to replace some of the old six inch main in Canton with larger pipes.

The amount expended for the work done last year was less than \$15,500.00 although the estimated cost of the work was \$25,000.00. The saving was the result of certain changes in the plans and that less ledge was encountered than expected.

Last year's Legislature voted to permit the Metropolitan District Commission to increase rates for water delivered to the member cities and towns from \$40.00 to \$80.00 per million gallons. The new rate is effective this year. Although some Metropolitan municipalities have already raised rates to the consumer to provide the necessary funds for the higher assessment, it is expected that such action will not be taken in Milton this year.

The Superintendent's report on the following pages details the 1953 activities of the Department.

Respectfully yours,

ERNEST E. ERICKSON

JOHN B. MOORE

WILLIAM P. MELLEY

Board of Water Commissioners

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

Milton, Mass., January 12, 1954

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

A report of the activities of the Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1953 is herewith submitted:

Main Extensions

Improvements to the distribution system were made by installing 2,268 feet of 8" main and 55 feet of 6" main in Hillside Street to connect Milton and Canton mains.

Permanent construction of Prince Street made it necessary to install 46 feet of 6" main in Quentin Street and 36 feet of 8" main in Roosevelt Street.

Mains which were revenue producing were installed under the Guarantee Plan:

156 feet of 6".....	Dexter Street
451 feet of 6".....	Truman Highway
272 feet of 6".....	Victoria Street

Five installations were made in three new sub-divisions under Chapter 12 of the Town By-Laws which requires the developer to pay the entire cost of installations (material, labor and trenching):

538 feet of 8".....	Hallen Avenue
256 feet of 8".....	Lyman Road
821 feet of 8".....	Marshall Road
205 feet of 6".....	Phyllis Lane
648 feet of 6".....	Whitelawn Avenue

Maintenance and Operating

Service connections to supply new homes totaled 135. Twenty-five services in new developments were extended from the property line to the new homes. In addition four larger services were installed:

- 6" and 4" service to new Glover School
- 6" service to supply sprinkler system Eliot Creamery
- 6" and 2" service to supply home off Randolph Avenue #1060
- 2½" service to supply sprinklers for baseball field in the rear of the Charles Sumner Pierce School.

Twelve services to existing homes were replaced. Nine hydrants were added to the system, two at the request of Fire Chief Fred B. Whelan.

The resurfacing of Central Avenue and the permanent construction of streets by the Highway Department resulted in additional work for the Department. All main gate valves were inspected and all gate and service boxes raised to grade.

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding balances on our books December 31, 1953, were:

Sale of Water.....	\$10,667.29
Service Installations	2,528.11
Miscellaneous	2,197.56
Liens Added to Tax Bills.....	220.89
Tax Titles	220.85
Total	<hr/> \$15,834.70

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

It is with regret we record the death on May 31, 1953 of Patrick Guilfoyle, our retired foreman. He entered the employ of the Milton Water Company in 1891 and was employed by the Milton Department from 1902 to 1939. His loyalty to the Department and the sterling example which he set to his fellow associates were outstanding.

I wish to publicly extend my sincere thanks to the Board of Water Commissioners for their support and wise guidance, to Town Counsel Frank B. Frederick for his prompt advice in legal questions, to the other Departments for their willing cooperation and to the employees of the Water Department whose conscientious efforts have contributed to the efficient operation of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL J. HANNIGAN
Superintendent

COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT (cents omitted)

Maintenance and Operating				
<i>We collected from:</i>	1951	1952	1953	
Sale of Water.....	\$130,314	\$132,763	\$147,932	
Service Installations and Jobbing.....	27,293	21,582	31,190	
Hydrant Service	27,650	28,105	28,420	
Other Receipts	1,921	2,887	2,580	
Total Receipts	<u>\$187,178</u>	<u>\$185,337</u>	<u>\$210,122</u>	
<i>We spent for:</i>				
Non-Controllable Expenses				
Cost of Water (Metropolitan Assessment).....	\$ 21,845	\$ 18,992	\$ 22,686	
Bond Retirement (Payments on Principal).....	26,000	24,000	21,000	
Bond Interest	2,358	1,862	1,404	
	<u>\$ 50,203</u>	<u>\$ 44,854</u>	<u>\$ 45,090</u>	
<i>Other Expenses:</i>				
Materials and Property Purchased.....	\$ 52,104	\$ 41,544	\$ 31,020	
Service Installations and Jobbing.....	20,000	21,549	24,752	
Operating Expenses	23,268	25,321	27,268	
Maintenance Expense	30,498	18,511	18,470	
General and Administrative Expenses.....	16,553	17,242	21,459	
Extension of Mains	26,518	22,075	22,818	
Adjusted Compensation				
Cost of Living.....	5,352	9,696		
Overtime	3,371	2,778	3,131	
Total Expenditures	<u>\$227,867</u>	<u>\$203,570</u>	<u>\$194,008</u>	
Less—Materials Credited	41,759	32,820	29,333	
Expenses Chargeable to Maintenance and Operating Appropriation	<u>\$186,108</u>	<u>\$170,750</u>	<u>\$164,675</u>	
Net Result—Receipts over Expenditures.....	<u>\$ 44,151</u>	<u>\$ 1,070</u>	<u>\$ 45,447</u>	

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

Extension of Mains

We had available for construction from:

Maintenance and Operating Appropriation.....	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 35,000
1948 Bond Issue.....			.
1949 Bond Issue.....	3,614		
Salaries and Wages.....	7,571		
Total Available	\$ 36,185	\$ 25,000	\$ 35,000

We expended these sums for:

Salaries and Wages (construction only).....	\$ 5,032	\$ 3,968	\$ 3,814
Pipe and other Materials.....	17,685	12,800	11,299
Trenchwork (contract)	7,415	5,307	7,705
Balance Unexpended	6,053	2,925	12,182
	\$ 36,185	\$ 25,000	\$ 35,000

COMPARATIVE DISTRIBUTION DATA

Miles of Main Pipe.....	103.0	104.1	105.3
No. of Hydrants.....	803	812	821
No. of Meters in Service.....	6,029	6,110	6,301
No. of Hydrants per Mile of Main.....	7.9	7.8	7.8
No. of Services per Mile of Main.....	58.5	58.7	59.8
No. of Meters Paying Excess.....	4,776	4,825	5,175
(average per quarter)			
Per Cent of Meters Paying Excess.....	79.2	82.5	85.5
Water Purchased (Gallons per Day).....	1,188,800	1,649,100	1,667,100

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF RETIREMENT

Milton, Massachusetts
January 28, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The report of the Board of Retirement activities for the year ending December 31, 1953 is submitted herewith:

In accordance with Section 20 (4) (b) of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, the Board consists of three members as follows: The Town Accountant, a second member elected by the members of the system and a third member appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

Mr. Fred N. Krim, Town Accountant, retired this year and was succeeded by Miss Josephine M. McAteer. At a meeting of the members of the system on June 24, 1953, Alexander E. Manning was re-elected for a three year term. Mr. George T. Curley, third member of the Board, resigned from his position and Mr. Oliver S. Sughrue was appointed to fill the vacancy.

At the March Town Meeting this year Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952 was accepted, granting increased retirement allowances to eight of our pensioners.

Chapter 387 of the Acts of 1953 provides that the retirement allowance of pensioners with at least fifteen years of service may be increased to \$1,200.00 per year. We have four retired members who would be eligible for this increase if the town so votes at March meeting 1954.

Seven of our members were retired (two for Accidental Disability), and one of our pensioners died during the year. A summary of our membership follows:

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Group A

Membership, January 1, 1953.....	150	
Enrolled during 1953.....	27	
	<hr/>	177
Members pensioned	7	
Members withdrew	5	
Transferred to Inactive Membership.....	8	
	<hr/>	20
		<hr/>
Group A, Active Members, December 31, 1953.....		157

Group B

Membership, January 1, 1953.....	68	
Enrolled during 1953.....	4	
	<hr/>	72
Members withdrew		2
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Group B, Active Members, December 31, 1953.....		70
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Total Active Membership, December 31, 1953.....		227

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

INACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Group A

Inactive Membership, January 1, 1953.....	6	
Transferred from Active Membership.....	8	
	<hr/>	14
Withdrawals		2
		<hr/>
Group A, Inactive Members, December 31, 1953.....		12

Group B

Group B, Inactive Members, December 31, 1953.....		0
Total Inactive Membership, December 31, 1953.....		<hr/>
		12

PENSIONERS

Pensioners, January 1, 1953.....	26	
Members pensioned in 1953 (inc. 1 retired under State System—shared by Milton).....	8	
	<hr/>	34
Pensioner died		1
		<hr/>
Pensioners receiving benefits, December 31, 1953.....		33
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Inactive Total		45
Active Membership		227
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Grand Total Membership, December 31, 1953.....		272
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We have 1 Beneficiary receiving Accidental Death Benefit.

A synopsis of the monetary transactions for the year ending December 31, 1953 is as follows:

CASH

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 7,414.89	
Receipts:		
Members' contributions	43,521.39	
Town appropriation	28,676.15	
Interest received	10,251.72	
	<hr/>	\$ 89,864.15
Expenditures:		
Pensions paid to retired members.....	\$ 35,650.42	
Annuities paid to retired members	2,892.86	
Investments (see Investment Account).....	31,534.60	
Expenses (see Expense Account).....	1,837.14	
Refunds to members on withdrawal.....	2,962.29	
Chapter 163, Acts of 1950, Supervision.....	250.00	
Accrued interest on bonds purchased.....	69.50	
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Total Expenditures	\$ 75,196.81	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	14,667.34	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 89,864.15</u>

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

ANNUITY SAVINGS FUND

(Members' Contributions)

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$247,600.38	
Transfer from Investment Income.....	220.91	
Receipts:		
Contributions, Group A	25,909.18	
Group B	15,504.91	
Voluntary	2,107.30	
Interest distribution	6,284.14	
	<hr/>	\$297,626.82
Expenditures:		
Refunds to members upon withdrawal.....	\$ 2,962.29	
Transferred to Annuity Reserve Fund.....	12,135.34	
Transferred to Pension Fund.....	5.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,102.68
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	282,524.14	
	<hr/>	<u>\$297,626.82</u>

PENSION FUND

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 71,277.25	
Town Appropriation	25,471.00	
Transferred from Annuity Savings Fund.....	5.05	
Transferred from Investment Income.....	2,910.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 99,664.05
Expenditures: Pensions paid in 1953.....	\$ 35,650.42	
Transferred to Annuity Reserve Fund.....	226.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 35,876.42
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	63,787.63	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 99,664.05</u>

ANNUITY RESERVE FUND

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 28,968.61	
Transferred from Annuity Savings Fund.....	12,135.34	
Transferred from Pension Fund.....	226.00	
Interest distribution	887.74	
	<hr/>	\$ 42,217.69
Expenditures: Annuities paid	\$ 2,892.86	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	39,324.83	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 42,217.69</u>

EXPENSE FUND

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 307.06	
Town Appropriation	2,059.36	
Town Appropriation	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,866.42

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Expenditures:

Clerical	\$ 1,506.80	
Chapter 163, Acts of 1950, Supervision.....	250.00	
Medical	150.00	
Photostatic copies of records.....	36.55	
Maintenance office machines.....	27.10	
Copies of laws.....	5.00	
Safety deposit box.....	20.00	
Association dues and expenses.....	20.50	
Office supplies	13.22	
Printing	26.37	
Stationery	19.60	
Postage	12.00	
Total Expenditures	\$ 2,087.14	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	779.28	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 2,866.42</u>

SPECIAL FUND FOR MILITARY SERVICE

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 7,449.66	
Interest distribution	230.11	
Chapter 708 to be appropriated.....	440.85	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 8,120.62</u>
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		<u>\$ 8,120.62</u>

INVESTMENT INCOME

Receipts:

Interest from Bonds.....	\$ 9,400.76	
Interest from Savings Banks.....	69.44	
Dividends from Co-operative Banks.....	756.50	
Interest from individuals (deferred payments).....	25.02	
	<u> </u>	
	\$ 10,251.72	
Earned but not credited until coupon date.....	2,548.75	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 12,800.47</u>

Distribution:

Annuity Savings Fund.....	\$ 6,284.14	
Annuity Reserve Fund.....	887.74	
Special Fund for Military Service.....	230.11	
Earned but not credited in 1952.....	2,148.76	
Transferred to Annuity Savings Fund.....	220.91	
Amortization of Bonds.....	48.56	
Accrued Interest on Bonds purchased.....	69.50	
	<u> </u>	
	\$ 9,889.72	
Transferred to Pension Fund.....	2,910.75	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 12,800.47</u>

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

INVESTMENT ACCOUNT

Bonds owned by Contributory Retirement System, December 31, 1953.

No.	Issuing Company	Rate	Maturity Date	Cost Price	*Amorti- zation	Book Value
5	Alabama Power Co.....	4½	1983	\$ 5,108.60	\$—1.47	\$ 5,107.13
5	American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	2¾	1970	5,025.00	— 4.79	5,020.21
5	American Tel. & Tel. Co.....	2¾	1980	5,000.00	.00	5,000.00
5	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe... 4	1995	5,412.10	—38.54	5,373.56	
5	Boston Edison Co.....	2¾	1970	5,187.50	—64.64	5,122.86
5	Chesapeake & Potomac Tel.... 3½	1984	5,076.00	— .53	5,075.47	
5	Consolidated Edison of N. Y... 3	1981	5,012.50	— 3.29	5,009.21	
5	Consolidated Edison of N. Y... 3¾	1982	5,119.20	— 4.61	5,114.59	
10	Illinois Bell Tel. Co.....	3½	1984	10,152.50	— 5.32	10,147.18
5	New England Power Co.....	2⅞	1981	4,843.75	+13.75	4,857.50
5	New Jersey Power & Light.... 4¼	1983	5,085.00	— .87	5,084.13	
10	New York Central R.R.....	3½	1997	10,500.00	—39.88	10,460.12
10	New York Telephone Co.....	3¼	1978	10,200.00	—21.27	10,178.73
5	Northern Pacific Rwy.....	4	1997	5,113.60	—10.25	5,103.35
5	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....	3	1970	5,167.50	—53.87	5,113.63
5	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.....	3¾	1985	5,096.00	— 2.46	5,093.54
5	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co.....	4	1984	5,135.00	— .90	5,134.10
5	Philadelphia Electric Co.....	3⅞	1983	5,130.00	— 1.50	5,128.50
10	Reading Company	3½	1995	10,162.50	—10.44	10,152.06
3	Seattle Gas Company.....	3⅝	1976	3,150.00	—22.35	3,127.65
5	So. California Edison Co.....	3	1965	5,262.50	—118.41	5,144.09
10	West Penn. Power Co.....	3¼	1982	10,193.10	— 7.26	10,185.84
10	Wisconsin Power & Light..... 3¼	1982	10,076.00	— 2.31	10,073.69	
5	Worcester Cty. Elec. Co.....	3¼	1981	5,077.00	— 4.58	5,072.42
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1955	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1955	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1958	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1959	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1959	10,000.00		10,000.00
20	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1959	20,000.00		20,000.00
18	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1960	18,000.00		18,000.00
35	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1961	35,000.00		35,000.00
30	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1962	30,000.00		30,000.00
5	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2½	1962	5,000.00		5,000.00
6	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	3¼	1983	6,000.00		6,000.00
22	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	3¼	1983	22,000.00		22,000.00
15	U. S. Treasury Bonds.....	2½	1968	15,000.00		15,000.00
5	Braintree Co-op. Bank	3		1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
10	Commonwealth Co-op. Bank... 3			2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
10	Marlborough Co-op. Bank 3			2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
20	Mattapan Co-op. Bank	3		3,997.40	+ 2.60	4,000.00
10	Middleborough Co-op. Bank.... 3½			2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
20	Milton Co-op. Bank.....	3		3,987.50	+12.50	4,000.00
5	Minot Co-op. Bank.....	3		1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
20	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	3		3,978.20	+21.80	4,000.00
5	South Shore Co-op. Bank	3		1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
20	Volunteer Co-op. Bank.....	3		4,000.00	.00	4,000.00

*Amortization (—)

Appreciation (+)

\$377,248.45 —\$368.89 \$376,879.56

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1953

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash	\$ 14,667.34	Annuity Savings Fund.....	\$282,524.14
Investment Account	376,879.56	Pension Fund	63,787.63
Accrued Interest	2,548.75	Annuity Reserve Fund.....	39,324.83
Chapt. 419, Military Service	440.85	Military Service	8,120.62
		Expense Fund	779.28
	<u>\$394,536.50</u>		<u>\$394,536.50</u>

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPHINE M. McATEER
 ALEXANDER E. MANNING
 OLIVER S. SUGHRUE
 Board of Retirement

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Milton, Massachusetts
January 21, 1954

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Town Accountant for the year ending December 31, 1953, arranged as follows:

1. Detailed accounts of all moneys received by the town as classified in accordance with the requirements of the Division of Accounts of the State.
2. Details of all departmental accounts showing the appropriations, credits, expenditures and balances. The expenditures are classified in accordance with the requirements of the Division of Accounts.
3. Balance sheet as of December 31, 1953 showing debit and credit balances on all open ledger accounts.

All original bills and vouchers on which moneys have been paid from the treasury for the year ending December 31, 1953, and all Trust Funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer and Library Trustees have during the year been examined and found to be correct.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 58, Chapter 41 of the General Laws, I am listing the following bill reported to me as unpaid:

1952

School Department: Godfrey Fuel Company \$1,655.47

On July 1, 1953 Fred N. Krim retired from his position as Town Accountant after efficiently serving in this capacity since 1935. As his successor I shall strive to carry out the duties of this office at the same high standard.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPHINE M. McATEER
Town Accountant

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS CLASSIFICATION OF RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes:

Real Estate and Personal:	
1952 Tax Levy	\$ 43,644.34
1953 Tax Levy	1,985,280.95
Polls 1953	12,034.00
Motor Excise:	
1952 Tax Levy	42,658.64
1953 Tax Levy	222,416.39
Tax Title Redemptions	2,082.63
Sale of Tax Possessions	1,000.00
Received from State:	
Reimbursement Public School Teachers' Pensions...	9,614.92
Corporation and Business Taxes	158,242.76
Income Tax	122,182.38
Park Tax	4.60
Reimbursement account of school expenditures	
under Section I, Chapter 70, G.L.	49,552.69
Reimbursement Vocational Education	3,901.85
George Barden-Smith-Hughes Grant	84.64
Meal Tax, Chapter 729, Acts 1941	4,054.03
Chapter 90	13,500.00
Reimbursement account Paraplegics' Taxes	1,409.10
Received from United States Government:	
Old Age Assistance	81,427.48
Aid Dependent Children	9,322.45
Disability Assistance	7,759.26
Licenses, Fees, Etc.:	
Deposits for recording deeds, etc.	
Tax Possessions	14.30
Liquor licenses	6,000.00
Junk and Agents	290.00
Taxi and Revolver	54.50
Milk, ice cream and oleo	265.50
Vital Statistics—births	202.00
Marriages	434.00
Recording, copying mortgages and discharges	1,203.25
Non-alcoholic beverage license	20.00
Municipal liens	828.00
Victualers' licenses	95.00
Bowling and Pin Ball	86.00
All other	52.00
Court Fines	195.00
Dog Licenses:	
Town Clerk	3,559.60
County	2,473.75
Town Employees' Withholding Tax Deductions	203,296.69
Chapter 90—Received from County	7,500.00

\$2,996,742.70

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Special Assessments

Forestry charges added to Tax Bills.....	\$	357.00	
Sewers:			
Unapportioned		20,604.91	
Added to Tax Bills.....		9,178.76	
Apportioned, paid in advance.....		1,984.51	
Street Betterments:			
Unapportioned		9,989.50	
Added to Tax Bills.....		9,752.46	
Apportioned, paid in advance.....		2,753.81	
Sidewalks:			
Added to Tax Bills.....		205.17	
			<hr/> 54,826.12

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

General Government:		
Town Hall—rental	\$	163.00
Thacher Building—light		64.20
Engineering—sale of maps.....		26.50
Board of Appeals—fees.....		569.96
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police:		
Private Work		2,967.50
Bicycle Registrations		51.25
Fire:		
Sale of old motor.....		100.00
False alarm restitution.....		100.00
Inspection:		
Sealer of Weights and Measures.....		252.30
Building		2,353.00
Plumbing		1,305.00
Wire		1,651.00
Sale of old material.....		67.50
Forestry—Private Work		4,738.00
Health and Sanitation:		
Health—Tuberculosis		2,715.93
Sale of contract documents.....		10.00
Reimbursement for Contract Violation.....		50.00
Sewer—Private Work		1,660.59
Highway—Private Work		3,077.28
Public Welfare:		
Reimbursement for temporary relief:		
State		1,387.21
Cities and Towns.....		519.80
Individuals		2.00

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Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance:	
State	75,829.23
Cities and towns.....	5,985.45
Reimbursement for Aid Dependent Children:	
State	5,567.54
Reimbursement for Disability Assistance:	
State	9,672.12
Veterans' Benefits:	
State	8,570.62
Schools:	
Tuition	5,657.46
Rental of buildings.....	240.00
Lunchroom receipts	60,689.10
Athletic receipts	5,273.38
Dental Clinic	144.00
Manual Training	75.57
All other	218.83
Libraries:	
Fines	2,981.09
Miscellaneous	82.69
Cemetery — Care and sale of lots, graves, etc.....	23,301.15
Gov. Stoughton Fund — rent from town farm.....	500.00
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Streets.....	3,000.00
Sale of Land — Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton St....	3,000.00
Sale of Land — Blue Hill Avenue at Dollar Lane....	7,000.00
Reserve for Contract Violation (Ashes & Garbage)...	576.80
	\$ 242,197.05

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Revenue.....	\$ 350,000.00	
General Loans:		
Sewer Construction	80,000.00	
Glover School Construction.....	370,000.00	
Premium on Bonds.....	580.80	
	800,580.80	

COMMERCIAL REVENUE—INTEREST

Taxes (including tax title interest).....	\$ 1,348.41
Motor Excise	42.96
General Fund on deposit.....	36.13
Bond Issues	257.67
Special Assessments:	
Committed Interest on Sewers and Streets.....	3,461.87
Interest on Sewer and Street Betterments.....	65.47

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Trust Funds:

Mary L. Peabody.....	140.17	
Oakland Hall Fund.....	307.50	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund.....	9,657.06	
Tuell and Hallowell Fund.....	45.00	
Trust Funds for Cemetery.....	325.49	
N. T. Kidder Library Fund.....	1,114.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 16,802.43

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund.....	17,992.06
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REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Refunds:

General Departments	\$ 1,608.31
Veterans' Benefits	190.75
Old Age Assistance.....	1,651.02
Disability Assistance	107.25
Aid Dependent Children.....	127.20
Insurance payments under Workingmen's Comp....	316.07
Gasoline tax refund from State.....	74.86
Recovery—Old Age Assistance.....	1,721.40
Motor Excise	6.43
Reimbursement for vandalism.....	801.94

Damages:

Hose	542.00
Forestry truck	469.69
Traffic lights	85.17

7,702.09

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department:

Rates	\$ 147,932.06	
Service	17,362.30	
Hydrant Rental	28,420.00	
Guarantee Deposits	8,137.00	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund.....	1,794.15	
Liens added 1952 Tax Bills.....	273.60	
Liens added 1953 Tax Bills.....	1,263.72	
Miscellaneous—Jobbing	5,610.60	
Revenue Consumers' Guarantee.....	485.24	
Mains in Private Ways.....	9,138.99	
Refund	2.75	
Reimbursement for damage to hydrant.....	164.80	
Workingmen's Compensation insurance payments...	204.28	
	<hr/>	220,789.49
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		\$4,357,632.74

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CLASSIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Warrant Committee

Appropriation		\$ 2,800.00
Payments:		
Advertising	\$ 13.20	
Printing recommendations and warrants.....	2,106.00	
Distributing warrants	250.00	
Binders	22.50	
Association dues and expenses.....	17.95	
Postage and supplies.....	30.84	
Mimeographing	10.00	
Typewriter maintenance	9.75	
Adding machine rental.....	9.50	
Total Payments	\$ 2,469.74	
Balance to Revenue.....	330.26	
		<u>\$ 2,800.00</u>

Warrant Committee — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 800.00
Payments	<u>\$ 800.00</u>

Planning Board

Appropriation	\$ 2,780.00
Payments:	
Association dues	\$ 20.00
Plans, prints and recording	77.91
Supplies	94.00
Printing and postage.....	10.00
Advertising	13.25
Professional services and expenses.....	698.38
Town Engineer services.....	600.00
Typewriter	100.00
All other	24.23
Total Payments	\$ 1,637.77
Balance to Revenue.....	1,142.23
	<u>\$ 2,780.00</u>

Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Streets

Deposit	\$ 3,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Selectmen

Appropriation	\$ 1,100.00
Transfer from Reserve.....	220.41
	<u>\$ 1,320.41</u>

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Payments:

Stationery and postage.....	\$	193.00	
Advertising		222.80	
Telephone		208.36	
Subscription		2.50	
Maintenance of typewriters.....		22.50	
Blue prints and recording.....		69.27	
Laws		35.00	
Office supplies		113.33	
Association dues and expenses.....		135.55	
Printed forms		76.35	
Engineer's study Pine Tree Brook.....		220.41	
Books bound		13.00	
Notary fee		7.00	
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Total Payments	\$	1,319.07	
Balance to Revenue.....		1.34	
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			\$ 1,320.41

Selectmen—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation			\$ 7,379.88
Payments:			
Selectmen	\$	2,400.00	
Secretary (part time)		1,701.72	
Clerk		3,278.16	
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Total Payments			\$ 7,379.88

Civil Defense

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	114.73	
Appropriation		2,089.00	
Refund		385.34	
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			\$ 2,589.07
Payments:			
Telephone	\$	132.57	
Light		27.00	
Administration expense		562.75	
Communications		1,316.36	
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Total Payments	\$	2,038.68	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		550.39	
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			\$ 2,589.07

Accounting

Appropriation			\$ 761.70
Payments:			
Postage	\$	12.70	
Printing		211.64	
Binding		124.50	
Telephone		99.56	

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Stationery and supplies.....	94.31	
Association dues and expenses.....	101.61	
Maintenance office machines.....	36.29	
Use of auto.....	27.41	
Subscription	2.50	
Binder	34.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 744.52	
Balance to Revenue.....	17.18	
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		\$ 761.70
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Accounting—New Equipment

Transfer from Reserve.....	\$ 307.75
Payment: Printing calculator.....	<u>\$ 307.75</u>

Accounting—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 7,384.98
Payments:	
Accountant	\$ 3,947.96
Clerk (part time).....	1,785.08
Other clerical	736.00
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Total Payments	\$ 6,469.04
Balance to Revenue.....	915.94
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	\$ 7,384.98
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Treasurer

Appropriation	\$ 898.00
Refund	62.92
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	\$ 960.92
Payments:	
Printing, stationery and postage.....	\$ 317.71
Telephone	98.80
Preparing and certifying notes.....	30.00
Maintenance office machines.....	57.40
Subscriptions	22.50
Traveling expenses	94.90
Association dues and expenses.....	64.15
Land court—foreclosures	1.53
Office supplies	186.52
Safety deposit box.....	5.00
Revolver license50
Stamp affixer	35.24
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Total Payments	\$ 914.25
Balance to Revenue.....	46.67
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	\$ 960.92

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Treasurer—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 7,151.50
Payments:		
Treasurer	\$ 5,324.40	
Clerical	1,810.60	
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Total Payments	\$ 7,135.00	
Balance to Revenue	16.50	
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		<u>\$ 7,151.50</u>

Collector

Appropriation	\$ 1,543.00	
Transfer from Reserve	21.31	
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		\$ 1,564.31
Payments:		
Office supplies	\$ 9.87	
Binding	34.75	
Postage and stationery	1,118.85	
Tax title fees	24.92	
Printing and advertising	139.03	
Typewriter	198.00	
Maintenance office machines	31.80	
Recording	7.09	
Total Payments	<hr/>	<u>\$ 1,564.31</u>

Collector—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 8,991.94
Payments:		
Collector	\$ 1,763.28	
Clerks	7,053.10	
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Total Payments	\$ 8,816.38	
Balance to Revenue	175.56	
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		<u>\$ 8,991.94</u>

Assessors

Appropriation		\$ 3,462.00
Payments:		
Abstract of deeds	\$ 404.52	
Stationery and postage	77.58	
Binding	247.42	
Advertising	62.50	
Telephone	150.70	
Association dues and expenses	139.20	
Maintenance office machines	158.30	
Transportation of persons	124.80	
Fluorescent tubes	24.42	

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Assessors' office plans.....	320.90	
Printing and office supplies.....	269.52	
Tax bills and commitment sheets.....	1,215.62	
Subscription	2.50	
File cabinets	113.40	
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Total Payments	\$ 3,311.38	
Balance to Revenue.....	150.62	
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		\$ 3,462.00

Assessors—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 11,064.64
Payments:		
Assessors	\$ 2,883.04	
Clerks	6,681.60	
Other clerical	843.90	
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Total Payments	\$ 10,408.54	
Balance to Revenue.....	656.10	
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		\$ 11,064.64

Law

Appropriation	\$ 2,784.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	1,539.14	
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		\$ 4,323.14
Payments:		
Litigation expense	\$ 1,055.10	
Claims	1,306.23	
Expenses, street layouts, drains, etc.....	594.76	
Expenses, examination of titles.....	170.00	
Supplies	32.86	
Telephone and travel.....	51.08	
Subscription	15.00	
Mass. laws	30.00	
Plans, prints and recording.....	241.15	
Association dues	10.00	
Special services	816.96	
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Total Payments		\$ 4,323.14

Law—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	2,060.00	
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		\$ 7,060.00
Payments:		
Town Counsel:		
Retainer	\$ 3,500.00	
Special services	3,060.00	
Legislative Counsel	500.00	
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Total Payments		\$ 7,060.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Town Clerk

Appropriation		\$	535.00
Payments:			
Stationery and postage.....	\$	151.27	
Telephone		131.03	
Advertising		118.11	
Office supplies and forms.....		63.39	
Printing		63.77	
Recording fees		6.18	
Total Payments	\$	533.75	
Balance to Revenue.....		1.25	
			<u>\$ 535.00</u>

Town Clerk—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	2,708.37
Payments:			
Town Clerk	\$	1,200.00	
Clerks		1,470.85	
Total Payments	\$	2,670.85	
Balance to Revenue.....		37.52	
			<u>\$ 2,708.37</u>

Election and Registration

Appropriation	\$	1,974.10	
Transfer from Reserve.....		713.34	
			<u>\$ 2,687.44</u>
Payments:			
Printing warrants	\$	593.50	
Advertising		201.40	
Office supplies		20.90	
Printing forms		1,791.82	
Meals		17.32	
Postage		62.50	
Total Payments	\$	2,687.44	

Election and Registration—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	2,429.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....		1,886.37	
			<u>\$ 4,315.37</u>
Payments:			
Registrars	\$	300.00	
Election officers		2,409.00	
Janitor services		431.63	
Distributing warrants		750.00	
Clerical services		10.00	
Total Payments	\$	3,900.63	
Balance to Revenue.....		414.74	
			<u>\$ 4,315.37</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Street Listing

Appropriation		\$	544.00
Payments:			
Printing street lists	\$	494.00	
Supplies		32.87	
Typewriter maintenance		13.60	
Total Payments	\$	540.47	
Balance to Revenue		3.53	
		\$	<u>544.00</u>

Street Listing—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	1,728.81
Payments:			
Clerical	\$	940.41	
Census takers		765.00	
Total Payments	\$	1,705.41	
Balance to Revenue		23.40	
		\$	<u>1,728.81</u>

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

Balance, January 1, 1953	\$	156.00	
Appropriation		5,041.49	
		\$	<u>5,197.49</u>

Town Hall and Lot

Payments:			
Outside grounds	\$	43.10	
Fuel		1,067.34	
Light		983.90	
Janitors' supplies		485.48	
Repairs		727.44	
Water		16.40	
Gas		23.51	
Use of Auto		25.00	
Advertising		3.95	
Public Hall license		25.00	
Postage		1.50	
Chimney repairs		156.00	

Thacher Building

Payments:			
Fuel	\$	760.38	
Light		633.07	
Gas		35.15	
Water		23.68	
Total Payments	\$	5,015.90	
Balance to Revenue		181.59	
		\$	<u>5,197.49</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 10,130.96
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 3,774.06	
Labor	6,356.90	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 10,130.96</u>

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building Overtime

Appropriation	\$ 300.00
Payments	<u>\$ 300.00</u>

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building New Equipment

Appropriation	\$ 150.00
Payments: Office table and speaker's pedestal.....	<u>\$ 150.00</u>

Town Engineer

Appropriation	\$ 1,359.00
Payments:	
Telephone	\$ 268.60
Office equipment and supplies.....	129.68
Postage	9.00
Maps, prints and recording.....	174.55
Field equipment and supplies.....	85.08
Motor repairs	166.27
Gasoline and oil.....	340.85
Maintenance office machines.....	38.50
Subscription	16.50
Association dues	20.00
Carfares, lunches and parking.....	29.00
Drive other car insurance.....	14.60
Garage rent	60.00
All other	2.00
Total Payments	\$ 1,354.63
Balance to Revenue.....	4.37
	<u>\$ 1,359.00</u>

Town Engineer—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 29,643.86
Payments:	
Town Engineer	\$ 5,897.56
Assistants	20,726.76
Clerk	2,901.27
Total Payments	\$ 29,525.59
Balance to Revenue.....	118.27
	<u>\$ 29,643.86</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Board of Appeals

Appropriation	\$	1,000.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....		41.82	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,041.82
Payments:			
Services of board members.....	\$	290.00	
Clerical services		320.00	
Special stenographic services.....		122.00	
Office supplies		31.02	
Postage		140.00	
Advertising		132.80	
Dues		6.00	
Total Payments		<hr/>	\$ <u>1,041.82</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police

Appropriation		\$ 12,445.00
Payments:		
Motor Apparatus:		
Repairs, parts and supplies	\$ 1,657.29	
Gasoline and oil	4,651.22	
Equipment for men	256.75	
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Fuel	1,161.49	
Light	535.51	
Gas	37.06	
Repairs and improvements	555.09	
Supplies	256.95	
Water	43.40	
Care of Outside Grounds	23.60	
Other Expenses:		
Printing and binding	279.25	
Postage	125.00	
Telephone	752.55	
Teletype	650.99	
Maintenance office machines	42.00	
Advertising	14.50	
Dog and cat food	11.04	
Food for prisoners	38.54	
Medical expense and first aid supplies	128.02	
Laundry	126.40	
Dog officer expense	23.75	
Radio repairs	226.59	
Association expenses	55.00	
Camera repairs and supplies	145.24	
Mass. laws	30.00	
Drive other car insurance	17.85	
Office supplies	379.90	
Power lawn mower	100.00	
Flares	17.79	
Ammunition	46.15	
Photos and frames	26.00	
Sign	12.00	
Freight	3.05	
Total Payments	\$ 12,429.97	
Balance to Revenue	15.03	
		<u>\$ 12,445.00</u>

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Police—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 186,595.25
Payments:		
Chief	\$ 5,324.40	
Deputy chief	4,744.98	
Sergeants	25,369.20	
Patrolmen	136,106.37	
Special police duty	84.00	
Clerk	3,278.16	
Mechanic	3,654.00	
Total Payments	\$ 178,561.11	
Balance to Revenue	8,034.14	
		<u>\$ 186,595.25</u>

Police—Private Work

Appropriation		\$ 4,000.00
Payments: Services of officers	\$ 2,858.00	
Balance to Revenue	1,142.00	
		<u>\$ 4,000.00</u>

Police—Four Cruising Cars

Appropriation		\$ 4,140.00
Payments:		
Ford sedans	\$ 1,738.20	
Tires and accessories	563.37	
Total Payments	\$ 2,301.57	
Balance to Revenue	1,838.43	
		<u>\$ 4,140.00</u>

Police—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$ 200.00
Payments		<u>\$ 200.00</u>

Policemen's Uniforms

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Payments	\$ 1,958.60	
Balance to Revenue	41.40	
		<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Fire

Appropriation	\$ 14,347.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	1,449.94	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,796.94
Payments:		
Equipment for men.....	\$ 232.84	
Chemicals, tools, accessories and repairs to same....	1,096.79	
Hose, nozzles, couplings, etc.....	3,775.19	
Maintenance of Motor Apparatus:		
Repairs and parts.....	2,539.03	
Gasoline and oil.....	1,466.24	
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:		
Fuel	1,760.44	
Light	577.21	
Gas	46.11	
Repairs and improvements.....	1,020.86	
Laundry	519.85	
Water	102.64	
Building supplies	472.91	
Furniture and furnishings.....	264.41	
Other Expenses:		
Radio repairs	596.71	
Advertising	3.50	
Printing, stationery and postage.....	56.00	
Telephone	901.60	
Medical expense	23.00	
Subscriptions	10.50	
Association dues and expenses.....	24.75	
Office supplies	104.88	
Typewriter maintenance	25.00	
Drive other car insurance.....	20.50	
Typewriter	145.00	
Freight	10.85	
Total Payments	\$ 15,796.81	
Balance to Revenue.....	.13	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,796.94

Fire—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 185,137.21
Payments:		
Chief	\$ 5,324.40	
Deputy chiefs	14,234.94	
Lieutenants	24,419.86	
Firemen	135,428.84	
Clerk	3,178.45	
Total Payments	\$ 182,586.49	
Balance to Revenue.....	2,550.72	
	<hr/>	\$ 185,137.21

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Fire—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 150.00
Payments	<u>\$ 150.00</u>

Fire—Repairs to Ladder #2

Appropriation	\$ 650.00
Payments	<u>\$ 650.00</u>

Fire—New Equipment

Appropriation	\$ 750.00
Payments: Alternators	\$ 749.14
Balance to Revenue.....	.86
	<u>\$ 750.00</u>

Fire—New Pumper

Appropriation	\$ 18,000.00
Payments:	
Advertising for bids.....	\$ 3.75
Seagrave pumping engine.....	17,996.00
	<u>\$ 17,999.75</u>
Total Payments	\$ 17,999.75
Balance to Revenue.....	.25
	<u>\$ 18,000.00</u>

Firemen's Uniforms

Appropriation	\$ 1,200.00
Payments	<u>\$ 1,200.00</u>

Central Fire Station Alterations

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 893.49
Payments: Flagpole and flag.....	\$ 420.00
Balance to Revenue.....	473.49
	<u>\$ 893.49</u>

Engine #4 Fire Station Alterations

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 91.14
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>\$ 91.14</u>

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Committee East Milton Fire Station

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 6,500.00
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 6,500.00</u>

Fire Station Construction

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 43,939.42
Payments:	
Contract payments	\$ 39,166.73
Professional services	626.00
Furniture and equipment.....	2,567.58
Outside grounds, grading, etc.....	509.25
Water service	155.45
Light pole	100.28
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Total Payments	\$ 43,125.29
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	814.13
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	<u>\$ 43,939.42</u>

Fire—Temporary Housing of Men and Equipment

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 8,266.72
Payments:	
Rental	\$ 300.00
Garage rent	455.00
Light	64.69
Moving	20.60
Anti freeze	29.40
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Total Payments	\$ 869.69
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	7,397.03
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	<u>\$ 8,266.72</u>

Hydrant Services

Appropriation	\$ 28,420.00
Payments	<u>\$ 28,420.00</u>

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Appropriation	\$ 389.90
Payments:	
Use of auto.....	\$ 300.00
Association dues and expenses.....	50.73
Supplies	28.76
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Total Payments	\$ 379.49
Balance to Revenue	10.41
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	<u>\$ 389.90</u>

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Sealer of Weights and Measures Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 35.00
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>\$ 35.00</u>

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 1,200.00
Payments: Salary	<u>\$ 1,200.00</u>

Building

Appropriation	\$ 1,080.50
Payments:	
Use of car.....	\$ 600.00
Office supplies and equipment.....	167.42
Maintenance office machines.....	23.50
Telephone	133.87
Advertising	18.10
Printing	44.00
Postage	15.80
Plans	32.18
Binders	39.20
Total Payments	<u>\$ 1,074.07</u>
Balance to Revenue.....	6.43
	<u>\$ 1,080.50</u>

Building—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 10,950.36
Transfer from Reserve.....	848.85
	<u>\$ 11,799.21</u>
Payments:	
Inspector	\$ 4,277.11
Acting Inspector	4,742.10
Clerk	2,700.00
Temporary clerk	80.00
Total Payments	<u>\$ 11,799.21</u>

Inspector of Plumbing

Appropriation	\$ 1,720.00
Payments:	
Inspector	\$ 1,501.50
Deputy Inspector	52.50
Typewriter	135.00
Permit books	28.00
Postage	3.00
Total Payments	<u>\$ 1,720.00</u>

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Wire

Appropriation		\$ 5,468.00
Payments:		
Telephone	\$ 83.91	
Light	30.80	
Gasoline and oil	351.00	
Motor repairs	291.28	
Traffic lights	634.91	
Police alarm	1,201.60	
Fire alarm	742.35	
Materials, tools and supplies	1,671.62	
Office supplies	17.74	
Postage	15.00	
Association dues	8.00	
Garage Rent	182.00	
Printing and stationery	90.00	
Carfares	15.00	
Total Payments	\$ 5,335.21	
Balance to Revenue	132.79	
		<u>\$ 5,468.00</u>

Wire—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 14,980.87
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 5,042.52	
Assistant	4,228.20	
Labor	5,703.08	
Total Payments	\$ 14,973.80	
Balance to Revenue	7.07	
		<u>\$ 14,980.87</u>

Wire—Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 500.00
Payments	\$ 345.64	
Balance to Revenue	154.36	
		<u>\$ 500.00</u>

Wire—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 5,747.76
Payments:		
Advertising	\$ 11.25	
Fire alarm boxes	1,527.21	
Plymouth sedan	1,250.00	
Traffic lights	2,633.00	
Total Payments	\$ 5,421.46	
Balance to Revenue	326.30	
		<u>\$ 5,747.76</u>

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Wire—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>\$ 100.00</u>

Forestry—General

Appropriation	\$ 30,766.66
Transfer from Reserve.....	469.69
	<u>\$ 31,236.35</u>

Payments:

Superintendent	\$ 3,576.02
Clerk	2,459.78
Labor	20,285.02
Office supplies	75.00
Maintenance office machines.....	34.75
Association dues	10.00
Telephone	212.75
Printing and postage.....	35.80
Blue prints	18.72
Subscription	2.50
Light	52.78
Fuel	272.72
Water	12.90
Insecticides	367.13
Weed killer	146.05
Mosquito control	99.00
Gasoline and oil.....	1,189.96
Registrations and inspections.....	15.50
Other equipment and repairs.....	535.73
First aid supplies.....	47.09
Building repairs	31.70
Building supplies	200.51
Tools sharpened	89.94
Rope	112.00
Motor repairs	1,306.68
Office equipment	44.10
Total Payments	\$ 31,234.13
Balance to Revenue.....	2.22
	<u>\$ 31,236.35</u>

Forestry—Overtime

Appropriation	\$ 300.00
Transfer from Reserve.....	157.38
	<u>\$ 457.38</u>
Payments	<u>\$ 457.38</u>

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Forestry—Private Work

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 387.45	
Labor	2,349.01	
Clerk	263.54	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Forestry—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 813.40
Payments: Chain saws	\$ 803.51	
Balance to Revenue.....	9.89	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 813.40</u>

Forestry—Planting of Trees

Appropriation		\$ 500.00
Payments:		
Trees	\$ 445.00	
Loam	55.00	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

Forestry—Control of Dutch Elm Disease

Appropriation		\$ 2,500.00
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 200.90	
Labor	1,173.81	
Clerk	136.28	
Postage	6.00	
Gasoline	128.40	
Insecticides	271.13	
Other equipment and supplies.....	19.74	
Tools sharpened	24.98	
Motor repairs	267.18	
Rope	137.77	
Spray hose	102.90	
Range oil	9.46	
Telephone	21.45	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 2,500.00</u>

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Forestry—Insect Pest Control

Appropriation		\$ 5,000.00
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 330.05	
Labor	2,059.34	
Clerk	226.46	
Gasoline and oil	357.88	
Insecticides	1,790.11	
Motor repairs	7.69	
Spray hose	102.90	
Telephone	85.15	
Water	2.50	
Equipment and repairs	37.92	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 5,000.00</u>

Forestry—Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized Salaries and Wages (base pay)		\$ 33,447.66
Payments:		
Forestry—General	\$ 26,320.82	
Private Work	3,000.00	
Control of Dutch Elm Disease	1,510.99	
Insect Pest Control	2,615.85	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 33,447.66</u>

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HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health

Appropriation		\$ 4,100.00
Payments:		
General Administration:		
Agent, use of auto.....	\$ 459.00	
Hospital service charge.....	300.00	
Postage	61.50	
Advertising	136.85	
Telephone	251.58	
Printing and office supplies	288.10	
Desk and chair.....	176.38	
Office fan	22.00	
All other	2.08	
Vital Statistics—reporting births and deaths.....	153.25	
Inoculations and vaccinations.....	251.50	
Milk Inspector:		
Analyses	901.25	
Expenses	54.80	
Use of car.....	96.00	
Total Payments	\$ 3,154.29	
Balance to Revenue.....	945.71	
		<u>\$ 4,100.00</u>

Health—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 6,342.56	
Transfer from Reserve.....	120.00	
		\$ 6,462.56
Payments:		
Agent	\$ 4,170.02	
Clerical	1,716.54	
Milk Inspector	570.00	
Total Payments	\$ 6,456.56	
Balance to Revenue.....	6.00	
		<u>\$ 6,462.56</u>

Mandatory Hospitalization

Appropriation	\$ 7,000.00	
Refund	578.50	
		\$ 7,578.50
Payments:		
Tuberculosis patients	\$ 3,915.50	
Care of premature babies.....	1,067.10	
Polio clinic	75.00	
Contagious diseases	456.00	
Total Payments	\$ 5,513.60	
Balance to Revenue.....	2,064.90	
		<u>\$ 7,578.50</u>

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Dental Dispensary

Appropriation		\$ 1,900.00
Payments:		
Dentist	\$ 1,262.50	
Assistant	477.50	
Supplies	157.81	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,897.81	
Balance to Revenue.....	2.19	
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		<u>\$ 1,900.00</u>

Tuberculosis Clinic

Appropriation		\$ 1,600.00
Payments:		
Professional services:		
Physician	\$ 350.00	
Nurses	422.00	
Laundry and supplies.....	32.36	
X-ray service	334.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,138.36	
Balance to Revenue.....	461.64	
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		<u>\$ 1,600.00</u>

Inspection of Animals

Appropriation	\$ 300.00
Payments: Inspector's salary.....	<u>\$ 300.00</u>

Sewer Maintenance

Appropriation	\$ 5,314.00
Payments:	
Administration:	
Office supplies	\$ 69.80
Stationery and postage.....	62.80
Typewriter maintenance	9.00
Telephone	109.81
Advertising	18.10
Subscription	4.00
Use of auto.....	292.64
Carfares	12.50
Blue prints	3.71
General Expenses:	
Motor repairs	308.27
Gasoline and oil.....	191.48
Tools and supplies.....	68.34
Other equipment and repairs.....	46.32
Contract labor	1,275.28
Light and power.....	1,738.82
Gas	136.67
Pumping Station repairs and supplies.....	480.39

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Water and service.....	151.30	
Manhole frames and covers.....	164.67	
Pipe	18.68	
Repairs sewer connections.....	150.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 5,312.58	
Balance to Revenue.....	1.42	
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		\$ 5,314.00

Sewer Maintenance—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 9,103.26
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 2,662.20	
Assistants	4,889.05	
Clerk	1,462.12	
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Total Payments	\$ 9,013.37	
Balance to Revenue.....	89.89	
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		\$ 9,103.26

Sewer Maintenance—Overtime

Appropriation	\$ 100.00	
Transfer from reserve.....	100.00	
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		\$ 200.00
Payments	\$ 150.36	
Balance to Revenue.....	49.64	
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		\$ 200.00

Sewer Construction

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 48,560.05	
Appropriation	26,660.00	
Bond Issue	80,000.00	
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		\$ 155,220.05
Payments:		
Use of auto.....	\$ 282.56	
Office supplies	32.51	
Advertising	19.00	
Contract payments	63,267.99	
Plans, prints and recording	168.98	
Gasoline and oil.....	157.68	
Street openings	1,238.75	
Castings	2,376.00	
Materials, tools and supplies.....	410.19	
Drive other car insurance.....	15.75	
Lumber	2,441.19	
Pumping Station supplies and repairs.....	287.85	
Motor repairs	4.90	
All other	19.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 70,722.35	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	84,497.70	
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		\$ 155,220.05

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Sewer Construction—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 16,221.61
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 2,662.20	
Assistants	10,488.50	
Clerk	1,491.88	
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Total Payments	\$ 14,642.58	
Balance to Revenue.....	1,579.03	
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		<u>\$ 16,221.61</u>

Sewer Construction—Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 1,200.00
Payments	\$ 464.89	
Balance to Revenue.....	735.11	
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		<u>\$ 1,200.00</u>

Sewer Assessment Refunds

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 1,384.88
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 1,384.88</u>

Collection of Ashes and Garbage

Appropriation		\$ 69,630.00
Payments:		
To contractor	\$ 68,853.20	
To reserve account for liquidated damages.....	576.80	
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Total Payments	\$ 69,430.00	
Balance to Revenue.....	200.00	
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		<u>\$ 69,630.00</u>

Reserve Account for Liquidated Damages (Ashes and Garbage)

Withheld from ashes and garbage contract payment...		\$ 576.80
Payment to Town of Milton.....	\$ 50.00	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	526.80	
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		<u>\$ 576.80</u>

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HIGHWAYS

Highway—General

Appropriation \$ 142,000.00

Payments:

General Administration:

Superintendent	\$ 5,324.40
Clerks	6,786.10
Office expenses	245.40
Telephone	289.07
Maintenance office machines	109.20
Advertising for bids	24.50

General Expenses:

Labor	63,243.74
Automotive equipment, repairs and supplies	4,066.69
Other equipment, repairs and supplies	1,507.73
Gasoline, oil and grease	2,017.63
Lettering equipment	5.00
Registrations, insurance and inspections	92.36
Curbing paper	115.84
Equipment for men	82.05
Transportation and rental of equipment	525.00
Building repairs and supplies	444.02
Fuel	1,351.79
Light	376.05
Water	37.58
Stone dust, sand and gravel	752.79
Asphaltic and bituminous concrete	4,863.31
Reinforcing rods	20.80
Tar	1,165.18
Cement and transit concrete	250.54
Signs	1,020.35
Explosives	16.00
Kerosene	122.13
Drain castings	624.40
Cement blocks	6.48
Cement anti freeze	73.50
Lumber	98.35
Grass seed	184.25
Paint and reflective beads	1,760.50
Traffic control signs	734.29
Curbing	691.32
Granite blocks	280.00
Fence materials	126.28
Brick	7.05
Pipe	344.07
Loam	442.00
Metal sheets	63.19
Hedges	54.00

Street Cleaning:

Labor	14,978.82
Equipment	143.15

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Snow and Ice Removal:

Labor	13,935.44	
Plowing and trucking	966.50	
Equipment and repairs	1,943.03	
Gasoline and oil	741.69	
Sand and salt	1,487.81	
Share of plowing by State	29.25	
Equipment for men	71.86	
Total Payments	\$ 134,642.48	
Balance to Revenue	7,357.52	
		<u>\$ 142,000.00</u>

Permanent Construction

Appropriation		\$ 35,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 8,585.98	
Materials	8,643.12	
Equipment	194.62	
Gasoline	427.66	
Advertising for bids	6.25	
Transportation and rental of equipment	1,384.00	
Kerosene	46.31	
Tools sharpened	97.50	
Total Payments	\$ 19,385.44	
Balance to Revenue	15,614.56	
		<u>\$ 35,000.00</u>

Street Lighting

Appropriation	\$ 56,011.32	
Transfer from Reserve	292.81	
		\$ 56,304.13
Payments: Street lighting		<u>\$ 56,304.13</u>

Traffic Lights

Appropriation	\$ 1,210.00	
Transfer from Reserve	36.96	
		\$ 1,246.96
Payments		<u>\$ 1,246.96</u>

Highway—Private Work

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 1,452.12	
Materials	892.34	
Gasoline and oil	121.35	
Total Payments	\$ 2,465.81	
Balance to Revenue	534.19	
		<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

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Highway—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 4,950.00
Payments:		
Concrete mixer	\$ 517.44	
Chrysler coupe	1,685.00	
Seat covers	40.00	
Dump truck	2,648.59	
Lettering equipment	40.00	
Transfer registration	1.50	
Total Payments	\$ 4,932.53	
Balance to Revenue	17.47	
		<u>\$ 4,950.00</u>

Drainage

Appropriation		\$ 13,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 5,825.20	
Materials	2,115.43	
Advertising for bids	8.00	
Gasoline and oil	162.46	
Equipment and supplies	42.55	
Rental of Equipment	55.25	
Total Payments	\$ 8,208.89	
Balance to Revenue	4,791.11	
		<u>\$ 13,000.00</u>

Improvement of Pine Tree Brook

Appropriation	\$30,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1953	<u>\$30,000.00</u>

Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street

Appropriation		\$ 13,500.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 4,940.61	
Materials	4,811.67	
Equipment	194.78	
Advertising for bids	3.25	
Rental of equipment	1,448.50	
Signs	9.90	
Gasoline and oil	343.50	
Kerosene	21.30	
Spreading bituminous concrete	205.12	
Tools sharpened	9.10	
Total Payments	\$ 11,987.73	
Balance, December 31, 1953	1,512.27	
		<u>\$ 13,500.00</u>

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Grove Street

Balance, January 1, 1953.....		\$	569.26
Payments:			
Labor	\$	320.51	
Gasoline		9.97	
Total Payments	\$	330.48	
Balance to Revenue.....		238.78	
		\$	<u>569.26</u>

Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle

Appropriation		\$	14,130.00
Payments:			
Labor	\$	4,268.46	
Materials		5,291.25	
Equipment		188.88	
Advertising for bids.....		3.75	
Rental of equipment.....		1,173.00	
Signs		14.85	
Gasoline and oil.....		324.46	
Kerosene		31.45	
Spreading bituminous concrete.....		201.62	
Tools sharpened		17.80	
Total Payments	\$	11,515.52	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		2,614.48	
		\$	<u>14,130.00</u>

Prince Street

Appropriation		\$	13,620.00
Payments:			
Labor	\$	7,828.60	
Materials		3,973.19	
Equipment		137.32	
Advertising for bids.....		3.25	
Rental of equipment.....		1,254.00	
Signs		9.90	
Gasoline		377.20	
Kerosene		36.54	
Total Payments			\$ <u>13,620.00</u>

Wendell Park

Balance, January 1, 1953.....		\$	460.12
Payments:			
Labor	\$	416.44	
Materials		34.39	
Gasoline		9.29	
Total Payments			\$ <u>460.12</u>

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Chapter 90 (Squantum Street)

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 802.42
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency.....	<u>\$ 802.42</u>

Chapter 90 (Central Avenue)

Appropriation	\$ 6,000.00	
Available Funds	<u>18,000.00</u>	\$ 24,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 3,408.56	
Materials	18,986.56	
Rental of equipment.....	1,328.00	
Gasoline	276.88	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 24,000.00</u>

Chapter 90

Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00	
Available Funds	<u>3,000.00</u>	\$ 4,500.00
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency.....	\$ 3,000.00	
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>\$ 4,500.00</u>

Sidewalks

Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	<u>792.36</u>	\$ 3,292.36
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 2,251.02	
Materials	876.14	
Gasoline	39.20	
Rental of equipment.....	126.00	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 3,292.36</u>

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Highway—Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized wages Highway employees (base pay)....	\$ 140,358.78	
Overtime	12,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 152,358.78
Payments:		
Highway—General	\$ 104,268.50	
Permanent Construction	8,585.98	
Private Work	1,452.12	
Drainage	5,825.20	
Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street.....	4,940.61	
Grove Street	320.51	
Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle.....	4,268.46	
Prince Street	7,828.60	
Wendell Park	416.44	
Sidewalks	2,251.02	
Chapter 90 (Central Avenue).....	3,408.56	
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Total Payments	\$ 143,566.00	
Unexpended	8,792.78	
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CHARITIES AND VETERANS' BENEFITS

Welfare Administration

Appropriation		\$	2,030.00
Payments:			
Office supplies, printing and postage.....	\$	507.06	
Employees' expenses		107.78	
Telephone		499.58	
Subscription		12.00	
Membership dues		41.50	
Advertising		36.20	
Garage rent		40.00	
Motor repairs		169.30	
Gasoline and oil.....		81.01	
Drive other car insurance.....		36.93	
Maintenance of equipment.....		54.32	
Light		11.65	
Social Service index.....		50.25	
Binding		9.75	
All other		2.70	
Total Payments	\$	1,660.03	
Balance to Revenue.....		369.97	
			<u>\$ 2,030.00</u>

Welfare—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	9,195.49
Payments:			
Agent	\$	2,503.79	
Social Workers		3,594.05	
Clerks		2,816.99	
Total Payments	\$	8,914.83	
Balance to Revenue.....		280.66	
			<u>\$ 9,195.49</u>

General Relief

Appropriation	\$	8,000.00	
Transfer from Reserve Fund.....		157.81	
			<u>\$ 8,157.81</u>
Payments:			
Groceries and provisions	\$	140.88	
Dental		65.00	
Rent		90.00	
Clothing		9.90	
Hospitalization		2,051.20	
Coal and wood.....		26.18	
Medicine and medical attendance.....		21.79	
Cash grants to individuals.....		4,803.50	
Relief by other cities.....		919.15	
Taxes		30.21	
Total Payments			<u>\$ 8,157.81</u>

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Welfare—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation:	\$ 50.00
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>\$ 50.00</u>

Disability Assistance

Appropriation	\$ 11,000.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	800.27	
Refund	26.40	
	<u> </u>	\$ 11,826.67
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$ 4,620.98	
Indirect cash grants to individuals.....	7,205.69	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 11,826.67</u>

Old Age Assistance

Appropriation	\$ 116,000.00	
Refunds	688.11	
	<u> </u>	\$ 116,688.11
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$ 100,927.87	
Indirect cash grants to individuals.....	8,927.19	
Relief by other cities.....	4,908.92	
Relief by other towns.....	1,924.13	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 116,688.11</u>

Aid to Dependent Children

Appropriation	\$ 13,000.00	
Refunds	127.20	
	<u> </u>	\$ 13,127.20
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$ 11,471.42	
Indirect cash grants to individuals.....	1,060.15	
Total Payments	<u>\$ 12,531.57</u>	
Balance to Revenue.....	595.63	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 13,127.20</u>

U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 11,193.33	
Received from United States Government.....	73,350.45	
Refunds	962.91	
Transfer from Recovery Account.....	2,509.62	
	<u> </u>	\$ 88,016.31

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Payments:

Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$ 70,819.37	
Indirect cash grants to individuals.....	3,317.39	
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Total Payments	\$ 74,136.76	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	13,879.55	
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		\$ 88,016.31
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U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance Administration

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 8,411.12	
Received from United States Government.....	8,077.03	
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		\$ 16,488.15
 Payments:		
Agent	\$ 2,376.91	
Social Workers	3,341.42	
Clerks	2,669.61	
Chair	71.96	
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Total Payments	\$ 8,459.90	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	8,028.25	
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		\$ 16,488.15
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U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 2,583.47	
Received from United States Government.....	8,311.04	
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		\$ 10,894.51
Payments: Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$ 5,808.80	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	5,085.71	
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		\$ 10,894.51
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U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children Administration

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 1,093.36	
Received from United States Government.....	1,011.41	
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		\$ 2,104.77
 Payments:		
Agent	\$ 443.70	
Social Workers	137.76	
Clerks	113.83	
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Total Payments	\$ 695.29	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	1,409.48	
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		\$ 2,104.77
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U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	2,582.73	
Received from United States Government.....		6,478.35	
Transfer from U.S. Grant, Disability Assistance Admin.....		1,376.32	
Refund		80.85	
		<hr/>	\$ 10,518.25
Payments:			
Direct cash grants to individuals.....	\$	5,951.18	
Indirect cash grants to individuals.....		4,259.61	
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Total Payments	\$	10,210.79	
Transfer to U.S. Grant, Disability Assistance Admin...		307.46	
		<hr/>	\$ 10,518.25
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U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance Administration

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	542.72	
Received from United States Government.....		1,280.91	
Transfer from U.S. Grant, Disability Assistance.....		307.46	
		<hr/>	\$ 2,131.09
Payments:			
Social Workers	\$	413.28	
Clerks		341.49	
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Total Payments	\$	754.77	
Transfer to U.S. Grant, Disability Assistance.....		1,376.32	
		<hr/>	\$ 2,131.09
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Recovery—Old Age Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	7,965.73	
Recoveries		1,721.40	
		<hr/>	\$ 9,687.13
Transfers	\$	7,939.77	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		1,747.36	
		<hr/>	\$ 9,687.13
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Veterans' Benefits

Appropriation	\$	18,298.28	
Transfer from Reserve.....		4,304.26	
Refunds		190.75	
		<hr/>	\$ 22,793.29

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Payments:

Administration:		
Investigator's expenses	\$	13.50
Other Expenses:		
Cash		16,948.93
Fuel		26.80
Medicine and medical attendance.....		3,076.53
Eyeglasses and dental care.....		132.50
Board and care		2,446.03
Groceries		129.00
Transportation		20.00
Total Payments		<u>\$ 22,793.29</u>

Veterans' Benefits—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	1,701.72
Payments: Salary of Investigator.....	\$	<u>1,701.72</u>

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SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

Schools—General Expenses

Appropriation	\$ 157,901.10	
Refunds	95.50	
		\$ 157,996.60

Payments:

Administration:

Superintendent—Use of auto.....	\$ 350.00
Traveling expenses	57.44
Office expense	2,236.91
Telephones (office)	961.20
Transportation—Supt. Buildings and Grounds....	256.75
Maintenance and operation of truck	153.21

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

High:

Telephone	444.33
Water	209.36
Light	2,217.15
Fuel	5,160.72
Gas	157.53
Janitors' supplies	843.82
Repairs and replacements.....	31,575.73

Junior High:

Telephone	470.94
Water	371.64
Light	3,621.61
Fuel	3,735.46
Gas	222.57
Janitors' supplies	391.94
Repairs and replacements.....	5,808.42

Elementary:

Telephone	924.02
Water	644.91
Light	7,734.92
Fuel	9,603.73
Gas	621.17
Janitors' supplies	2,721.57
Repairs and replacements.....	18,104.37

Instruction:

High:

Textbooks	3,308.94
Libraries	638.32
Supplies	5,826.78

Junior High:

Textbooks	2,098.00
Libraries	102.01
Supplies	3,915.37

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Elementary:		
Textbooks	7,131.69	
Libraries	1,309.34	
Supplies	6,191.41	
Transportation of Pupils:		
High	5,211.75	
Junior High	4,134.34	
Elementary	5,420.48	
New Equipment:		
High	3,324.54	
Junior High	693.56	
Elementary	3,082.89	
Sundries:		
High	630.39	
Junior High	31.92	
Elementary	138.27	
Health:		
Nurse—use of auto.....	190.00	
Medical supplies	178.11	
Play and Games.....	1,705.71	
Tuition and Transportation.....	781.43	
School Census	550.00	
Instructors' traveling expenses, etc.....	418.07	
Driver Education	464.09	
Total Payments	\$ 157,078.83	
Encumbered	722.00	
Balance to Revenue.....	195.77	
		<u>\$ 157,996.60</u>

Schools—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 710,449.89	
Refund	62.80	
		<u>\$ 710,512.69</u>
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 9,500.00	
Clerks:		
Administration	11,965.36	
Instruction:		
High	3,278.16	
Junior High	6,066.47	
Elementary	811.80	
Teachers:		
High	159,646.95	
Junior High	159,027.22	
Elementary	275,427.30	

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Janitors:		
High	10,015.92	
Junior High	18,356.84	
Elementary	27,020.44	
Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds.....	5,502.00	
Mechanics:		
High	1,632.31	
Junior High	2,313.29	
Elementary	3,405.69	
Health:		
Physician	2,421.25	
Nurse	1,863.00	
Bus Matrons:		
High	686.34	
Junior High	114.35	
Elementary	1,487.34	
Attendance Officer	200.00	
Director—School Lunch Program.....	3,478.00	
Total Payments	\$ 704,220.03	
Balance to Revenue.....	6,292.66	
		<u>\$ 710,512.69</u>

Schools—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Payments: Traveling expenses.....	\$ 172.28	
Balance to Revenue.....	227.72	
		<u>\$ 400.00</u>

Schools—Repairs and Replacements

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 8,694.00
Payments: Sound system—High School.....	<u>\$ 8,694.00</u>

Oil Fired Heating System—Tucker School

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 3,969.01
Payments	\$ 3,927.39
Balance to Revenue.....	41.62
	<u>\$ 3,969.01</u>

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Elementary School Construction

Balance, January 1, 1953.....		\$ 28,776.90
Payments:		
Contract payments	\$ 14,779.54	
Secretarial services	93.85	
Furnishings and equipment.....	6,494.93	
Advertising	35.00	
Changing fire alarm system.....	677.00	
Professional services	2,793.87	
Drainage contract	870.00	
Town Engineer supervision.....	20.00	
Water service installation.....	1,332.45	
Light pole installation.....	438.00	
All other	60.25	
Total Payments	\$ 27,594.89	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	1,182.01	
		<u>\$ 28,776.90</u>

New Junior High School

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 237.36
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 237.36</u>

Committee—Central High School

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 500.00
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

School Teachers' Retirement Fund

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 619.72
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 619.72</u>

Vocational Education

Appropriation		\$ 6,500.00
Payments: Tuition and transportation.....	\$ 4,690.35	
Balance to Revenue.....	1,809.65	
		<u>\$ 6,500.00</u>

Vocational Education (Unpaid Bills of 1952)

Appropriation	\$ 229.80
Payments	<u>\$ 229.80</u>

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Committee—New Glover School

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 1,621.50
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 1,621.50</u>

Acquiring Land Adjoining New Glover School

Appropriation	\$ 1.00
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 1.00</u>

Construction of Glover School

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 19,647.95	
Bond Issues	370,000.00	
Refunds	329.73	
	<u> </u>	\$ 389,977.68
Payments:		
Professional services	\$ 5,376.98	
Contract payments	309,955.27	
Insurance	946.40	
Secretarial services	68.65	
Printing and advertising.....	151.75	
Furnishings and equipment.....	18,780.23	
Engineer's services	100.00	
Water pipe installation.....	2,482.62	
Shrubs	296.00	
Sound system	1,130.00	
All other	803.82	
	<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$ 340,091.72	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	49,885.96	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 389,977.68</u>

Evening Practical Arts Classes

Appropriation	\$ 2,700.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	264.93	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,964.93
Payments:		
Instructors	\$ 2,381.36	
Janitor service	518.00	
Tuition (other cities and towns).....	34.50	
Supplies	18.07	
	<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$ 2,951.93	
Balance to Revenue.....	13.00	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 2,964.93</u>

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George Barden-Smith-Hughes Fund

Grants	\$	84.64
Payments: Instructors	\$	84.64

School Lunch Program

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	3,276.47	
Receipts		60,689.10	
			\$ 63,965.57
Payments	\$	52,903.57	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		11,062.00	
			\$ 63,965.57

School Athletic Fund

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	4,575.40	
Receipts		5,273.38	
Transfer from Excess and Deficiency.....		2.40	
			\$ 9,851.18
Payments	\$	5,707.40	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		4,143.78	
			\$ 9,851.18

Libraries

Appropriation	\$	18,121.75	
Transfer from Reserve.....		395.00	
			\$ 18,516.75

Payments:

Books, Periodicals, Etc.:

Books	\$	7,862.47
Periodicals		745.85
Newspapers		31.16
Plastic book covers.....		42.50
Book Binding		2,304.87

Fuel and light:

Fuel	1,420.07
Light	1,077.68
Gas	161.49

Building and grounds:

Repairs	969.98
Extinguisher refills and hose.....	31.00
Garage rent	96.00
Water	35.60
Building supplies	368.55
Outside grounds	302.25
Window guards	290.00
Snow cleats	366.00
Dryal refills	34.83

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Other Expenses:

Rental of reading room.....	150.00	
Printing and advertising.....	137.24	
Telephone	374.54	
Library and office supplies.....	682.58	
Book storage	52.00	
Laundry	12.02	
Motor repairs	180.07	
Gasoline and oil.....	103.04	
Carfares, etc.	138.31	
Association dues and expenses.....	109.75	
Maintenance office machines.....	45.00	
Postage	370.00	
Freight and express.....	2.24	
Medical supplies	4.63	
Total Payments	\$ 18,501.72	
Balance to Revenue.....	15.03	
		\$ 18,516.75

Libraries—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 52,588.20
Payments:		
Librarian	\$ 5,042.52	
Assistants	35,645.46	
Janitors	9,786.73	
Total Payments	\$ 50,474.71	
Balance to Revenue.....	2,113.49	
		\$ 52,588.20

Pages, Assistants, Substitutes and Janitors

Appropriation	\$ 2,975.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....	1,100.00	
		\$ 4,075.00
Payments:		
Pages and temporary assistants.....	\$ 3,535.49	
Janitors (overtime)	432.13	
Total Payments	\$ 3,967.62	
Balance to Revenue.....	107.38	
		\$ 4,075.00

War Memorial Plans

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 1,000.00
Payment: Plan and study.....	\$ 1,000.00

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Milton Educational Society Gift to Town for Library Uses

Balance, January 1, 1953		\$	2,034.25
Payments: Records	\$	604.80	
Balance, December 31, 1953		1,429.45	
		<u> </u>	<u>\$ 2,034.25</u>

Library—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$	906.00
Payments:			
Flexo panels	\$	272.00	
Unit shelving		236.25	
Book cases		363.55	
Record rack		21.90	
		<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$	893.70	
Balance to Revenue		12.30	
		<u> </u>	<u>\$ 906.00</u>

Library—Replacement of Equipment

Appropriation		\$	1,127.50
Payments:			
Typewriter	\$	110.00	
Chairs		69.00	
Desk and lamps		71.73	
Files		48.00	
Shades		30.05	
Lights		315.00	
Catalogue case		250.00	
Clock and mirror		39.94	
All other		53.95	
		<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$	987.67	
Balance to Revenue		139.83	
		<u> </u>	<u>\$ 1,127.50</u>

Library—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$	250.00
Payments	\$	244.67	
Balance to Revenue		5.33	
		<u> </u>	<u>\$ 250.00</u>

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Investigation of Proposal to Enlarge Central Library

Balance, January 1, 1953.....		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Plan and study.....	\$ 1,900.00	
Report printed	214.25	
Total Payments	\$ 2,114.25	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	885.75	
		<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Committee—Central Library

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Payment: Preliminary sketches.....	\$ 900.00	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	100.00	
		<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>

Library Fund u/w Nathaniel T. Kidder

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 4,808.30	
Interest received	1,114.70	
		\$ 5,923.00
Payments:		
Record cabinet	\$ 240.00	
Circulation desk and chairs.....	2,197.90	
Total Payments	\$ 2,437.90	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	3,485.10	
		<u>\$ 5,923.00</u>

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RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Parks and Playgrounds

Appropriation	\$	3,439.00	
Transfer from Reserve.....		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 3,539.00
Payments:			
Superintendent—use of auto.....	\$	125.00	
Subscription		10.50	
Printing and postage.....		10.00	
Telephone		102.03	
Clerical service		100.00	
Advertising		16.50	
Dues		2.00	
Drive other car insurance		14.18	
Appraisal of land—East Milton Playground.....		100.00	
Parks:			
Equipment and repairs.....		192.68	
Services of officer		18.00	
Flag		12.50	
Paint, tools and hardware.....		148.78	
Gasoline and oil		128.72	
Motor repairs and expenses.....		35.77	
Fuel		110.00	
Light		32.10	
Gas		5.85	
Water and expenses.....		38.02	
Grass seed and fertilizer.....		147.10	
Barn rental		180.00	
Materials		176.17	
Lumber		152.54	
Garage rent		72.00	
Painting flagpoles		40.00	
Topping new basketball court.....		599.95	
Signs lettered		25.00	
Fence—Mary C. Lane Playground.....		232.00	
Fence—Andrews Playground		250.00	
Playgrounds:			
Prizes and refreshments		18.70	
Play equipment and supplies.....		319.20	
First aid supplies.....		5.00	
Transportation of children.....		90.00	
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Total Payments	\$	3,510.29	
Balance to Revenue.....		28.71	
		<hr/>	\$ 3,539.00
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Parks—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 12,769.28
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 4,494.42	
Labor	5,333.80	
Summer play instructors	1,720.00	
Indoor recreation leaders	1,218.00	
Total Payments	\$ 12,766.22	
Balance to Revenue	3.06	
		<u>\$ 12,769.28</u>

Park—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 1,090.00
Payment: Toro power mower	\$ 1,068.20	
Balance to Revenue	21.80	
		<u>\$ 1,090.00</u>

Development of Andrews Playground

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Materials	\$ 1,641.50	
Hire of equipment	225.00	
Total Payments	\$ 1,866.50	
Encumbered	1,133.50	
		<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Development of Mary C. Lane Memorial Playground

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Encumbered		<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>

Pensions—Policemen and Firemen

Appropriation		\$ 40,794.15
Payments: Pensions	\$ 38,981.74	
Balance to Revenue	1,812.41	
		<u>\$ 40,794.15</u>

Pensions—Policemen's and Firemen's Widows

Appropriation		\$ 2,958.32
Payments: Pensions		<u>\$ 2,958.32</u>

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Pensions—Laborers

Appropriation		\$ 14,957.66
Payments: Pensions	\$ 14,957.65	
Balance to Revenue.....	.01	
		<u>\$ 14,957.66</u>

Pensions—Public School Teachers

Appropriation	\$ 5,107.50
Payments: Pensions	<u>\$ 5,107.50</u>

Annuity—K. K. McDermott

Appropriation	\$ 1,679.16
Payments	<u>\$ 1,679.16</u>

Annuities—Chapter 340, Acts of 1933

Appropriation	\$ 5,037.48
Payments	<u>\$ 5,037.48</u>

Memorial Day

Appropriation	\$ 700.00
Refund	76.12
	<u>\$ 776.12</u>
Payments:	
Milton Post Band.....	\$ 150.00
Plants and Wreaths.....	147.70
Shrubs	160.00
Flags	152.24
Refreshments for soldiers.....	23.86
Programs	47.50
	<u>\$ 681.30</u>
Total Payments	\$ 681.30
Balance to Revenue.....	94.82
	<u>\$ 776.12</u>

July Fourth Celebration

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Refund	10.00
	<u>\$ 510.00</u>
Payments:	
Prizes	\$ 131.00
Refreshments	66.00
Concert	150.00
Tennis tournament	26.00
Advertising	30.00
Baseball game	50.00
Drum corps exhibition.....	50.00
	<u>\$ 503.00</u>
Total Payments	\$ 503.00
Balance to Revenue.....	7.00
	<u>\$ 510.00</u>

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Armistice Day—November 11th

Appropriation		\$	100.00
Payments:			
Milton Post Band	\$	90.00	
Wreath		10.00	
Total Payments			<u>\$ 100.00</u>

Reserve Fund

Appropriation	\$	5,223.38	
Transfer from Overlay Reserve		24,776.62	
Transfer from Water Receipts Reserve		1,400.00	
			<u>\$ 31,400.00</u>

Transfers:

Selectmen	\$	220.41	
Accounting—New Equipment		307.75	
Collector		21.31	
Law—General		1,539.14	
Law—Salaries and wages		2,060.00	
Election and Registration		713.34	
Election and Registration—Salaries and Wages		1,886.37	
Board of Appeals		41.82	
Fire		1,449.94	
Building—Salaries and Wages		848.85	
Forestry—General		469.69	
Forestry—Overtime		157.38	
Health—Salaries and Wages		120.00	
Sewer Maintenance—Overtime		100.00	
Street Lighting		292.81	
Traffic Lights		36.96	
Sidewalks		792.36	
General Relief		157.81	
Disability Assistance		800.27	
Veterans' Benefits		4,304.26	
Evening Practical Arts Classes		264.93	
Libraries		395.00	
Library—Pages, Temp. Assistants & Janitors O.T.		1,100.00	
Park		100.00	
Water—Temporary Help		1,400.00	
Cemetery		918.75	
			<u>\$ 20,499.15</u>
Overlay Reserve	\$	20,499.15	
Total Transfers		10,900.85	
			<u>\$ 31,400.00</u>

Insurance

Appropriation		\$	30,465.56
Payments:			
Workingmen's Compensation	\$	14,836.82	
Buildings and contents		13,446.98	
Town employees' bonds		1,235.82	

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Fire and theft of autos.....	218.94	
Public Liability	404.16	
Sealer's equipment	18.90	
Explosion	19.70	
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Total Payments	\$ 30,181.32	
Balance to Revenue.....	284.24	
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		\$ 30,465.56
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Town Reports

Appropriation		\$ 4,500.00
Payments: Printing reports.....	\$ 4,464.43	
Balance to Revenue.....	35.57	
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		\$ 4,500.00
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Mosquito Control Work

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Payments: To Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	\$ 500.00
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Mosquito Nuisance—Air Spraying

Appropriation		\$ 1,800.00
Payments	\$ 1,749.96	
Balance to Revenue.....	50.04	
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		\$ 1,800.00
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Rodent Control

Appropriation		\$ 600.00
Payments	\$ 292.50	
Balance to Revenue.....	307.50	
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		\$ 600.00
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Contributory Retirement System

Appropriation	\$ 28,676.15
Payment: Board of Retirement.....	\$ 28,676.15
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Committee—Rubbish Disposal Site

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 100.00
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency.....	\$ 100.00
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Committee on Municipal Incinerator

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 98.00
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency	\$ 98.00
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Committee on Physical Education Facilities

Appropriation		\$ 1,500.00
Payments: Professional services.....	\$ 782.41	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	717.59	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 1,500.00</u>

Committee to Study Uses of Glover and Vose Schools

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		<u>\$ 100.00</u>

Milton Post #2178 of Veterans of Foreign Wars Rental of Quarters

Appropriation		\$ 375.00
Payments		<u>\$ 375.00</u>

George P. Bertram, Jr. Chapter #104, Disabled American Veterans

Appropriation		\$ 360.00
Payments	\$ 330.00	
Balance to Revenue.....	30.00	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 360.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CEMETERIES AND ENTERPRISES

Cemetery

Appropriation	\$ 1,977.00	
From Sale of Lots and Graves.....	60.00	
Income from Trust Funds.....	325.49	
Transfer from Reserve.....	918.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,281.24
Payments:		
Blue prints	\$ 1.04	
Postage	9.00	
Telephone	66.10	
Advertising	8.75	
Association dues	5.00	
Shrubs and plants.....	19.85	
Weed killer	40.10	
Equipment for men.....	9.64	
Hardware supplies	16.22	
Gasoline and oil.....	173.19	
Motor repairs	293.06	
Fuel	324.27	
Light	44.17	
Water	42.80	
Building supplies	6.01	
Equipment and repairs.....	83.20	
Cement	26.20	
Crypts	1,247.64	
Lettering and cutting steps.....	160.00	
Hire and mechanical grave digger.....	705.00	
Total Payments	<hr/>	\$ 3,281.24
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Cemetery—Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 41,788.00	
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 4,744.98	
Clerk	2,215.75	
Labor	32,368.83	
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Total Payments	\$ 39,329.56	
Balance to Revenue.....	2,458.44	
	<hr/>	\$ 41,788.00
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Cemetery—Overtime

Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00	
Payments	\$ 1,465.59	
Balance to Revenue.....	534.41	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,000.00
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Cemetery—Perpetual Care Fund

Bequests	\$ 17,992.06
Deposited in Savings Bank	<u>\$ 17,992.06</u>

Interest on Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 1,137.14	
Receipts	9,657.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,794.20
Payments:		
Printing and office supplies.....	\$ 102.85	
Postage	16.00	
Advertising	22.60	
Telephone	94.91	
Association dues and expenses	58.50	
Markers	367.77	
Hardware and supplies.....	152.06	
Gasoline and oil	299.51	
Motor repairs	397.20	
Fuel	137.10	
Light	51.80	
Water and services	15.20	
Building repairs and upkeep.....	50.62	
Equipment and repairs	1,482.78	
Crypts	2,353.08	
Equipment for men.....	31.02	
Grass seed	250.00	
Spraying	295.00	
Painting flagpole	20.00	
Materials	673.78	
Hire of mechanical grave digger.....	2,421.00	
Cement and concrete.....	270.70	
Lettering and cutting steps.....	307.00	
Map mounted	117.35	
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Total Payments	\$ 9,987.83	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	806.37	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 10,794.20</u>

Cemetery—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 150.00
Balance to Revenue.....	<u>\$ 150.00</u>

Cemetery—Contract Development

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Payments:	
Fill	\$ 2,000.00
Loam	1,000.00
Total Payments	<hr/> <u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Cemetery—Road Construction

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Payments: Contract	<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Cemetery—New Equipment

Appropriation	\$ 1,487.00
Payment: International truck.....	<u>\$ 1,487.00</u>

Cemetery—Power Wheelbarrow

Appropriation	\$ 675.00
Payment: Bell prime mover.....	<u>\$ 675.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest

Appropriation		\$ 25,105.00
Payments:		
Anticipation of Revenue Loans	\$ 1,720.80	
School Loans	14,250.00	
Sewer Construction Loans	2,415.00	
Street Construction Loans	67.50	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Deficit	898.14	
Fire Station Loan.....	1,170.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 20,521.44	
Balance to Revenue	4,583.56	
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		<u>\$ 25,105.00</u>

Maturing Debt

Appropriation		\$ 177,000.00
Payments:		
School Loans	\$ 107,000.00	
Sewer Loans	53,000.00	
Street Loans	8,000.00	
Fire Station Loan.....	9,000.00	
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Total Payments		<u>\$ 177,000.00</u>

Temporary Loans

Borrowed	\$ 350,000.00
Notes paid	<u>\$ 350,000.00</u>

Dog Licenses

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 47.40	
Licenses issued	3,559.60	
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		\$ 3,607.00
Payments: To County	\$ 3,565.00	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	42.00	
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		<u>\$ 3,607.00</u>

Withholding Taxes

Withheld from Town Employees	\$ 203,296.69
Paid to Federal Government	<u>\$ 203,296.69</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Tailings Account

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 492.41
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	<u>\$ 492.41</u>

Premium on Bonds

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 959.25	
Premium from sale of Bonds.....	580.80	
	<u> </u>	\$ 1,540.05
Payments: Preparation and Authentication of Bonds..	\$ 925.00	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	615.05	
	<u> </u>	<u>\$ 1,540.05</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Oakland Hall Fund

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	282.11	
Interest Received		307.50	
			\$ 589.61
Payments:	\$	172.00	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		417.61	
			\$ 589.61

Tuell & Hallowell Citizenship Fund

Interest Received			\$ 45.00
Payments:			
Citizenship Prizes	\$	40.00	
To Trust Fund.....		5.00	
			\$ 45.00
Total Payments			\$ 45.00

Mary L. Peabody Fund

Interest Received			\$ 140.17
Payments: For charity			\$ 140.17

Gov. Stoughton Trust Fund

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$	4,949.16	
Received from rent of Town Farm		500.00	
			\$ 5,449.16
Payments: Hospitalization and Nursing care.....	\$	581.22	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....		4,867.94	
			\$ 5,449.16

Refunds

Charged to Estimated Receipts			\$ 30.60
Payments:			
Non-alcoholic beverage license.....	\$	10.00	
Board of Appeals hearing fee.....		20.60	
Total Payments			\$ 30.60

Tax Refunds

1952 Taxes	\$	145.20	
1953 Taxes		4,930.40	
1953 Poll Taxes		10.00	
1952 Motor Excise		1,885.10	
1953 Motor Excise		5,380.28	
Total Payments			\$ 12,350.98
Taxes abated after payment was made			\$ 12,350.98

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Deposits for Deeds, Recording, etc.—Tax Possessions

Balance, January 1, 1953	\$	5.88	
Received		14.30	
		<hr/>	\$ 20.18
Payments	\$	9.18	
Balance, December 31, 1953		11.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 20.18
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Agency

Appropriation State Taxes	\$	174,155.21	
Appropriation County Taxes		131,895.66	
Underestimated in 1952, raised in 1953		1,693.13	
Refund—Metropolitan Park Tax		4.60	
Underestimated in 1953, to be raised in 1954		4,153.97	
Overestimated in 1952		16,228.85	
		<hr/>	\$ 328,131.42

Payments:

Metropolitan Park Tax	\$	36,459.72	
Charles River Basin Tax		13.49	
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax		41,328.74	
Auditing Municipal Accounts		1,761.22	
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses		201.63	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency		61,102.71	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Principal Payment		5,775.80	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance		485.42	
Boston Arena Authority		3,930.22	
County Tax		80,986.66	
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment		48,576.96	
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Total Payments	\$	280,622.57	
Water Assessment paid by Water Department		22,686.44	
Underestimated in 1952, raised in 1953		1,693.13	
Transferred to Revenue Account		16,229.44	
Overestimated in 1953, applicable to 1954		6,899.84	
		<hr/>	\$ 328,131.42
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General Cash Account

Balance, January 1, 1953	\$	772,954.26	
Receipts		4,136,843.25	
		<hr/>	\$4,909,797.51
Payments	\$4,143,777.89		
Balance, December 31, 1953		766,019.62	
		<hr/>	\$4,909,797.51
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

WATER

Water Cash Account

Balance, January 1, 1953..... \$ 110,712.35

Receipts:

Water Rates	\$ 147,932.06	
Services	17,362.30	
Hydrant Rental	28,420.00	
Miscellaneous, Jobbing	5,610.60	
Liens added to 1952 Taxes.....	273.60	
Liens added to 1953 Taxes.....	1,263.72	
Guarantee Deposits	8,137.00	
Mains in Private Ways	9,138.99	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund.....	1,794.15	
Revenue Consumers' Guarantee.....	485.24	
Refund	2.75	
Reimbursement Damages to Hydrant.....	164.80	
Workingmen's Compensation Insurance Payments..	204.28	220,789.49

\$ 331,501.84

Payments:

Maintenance	\$ 136,163.52
New Equipment	603.50
New Truck	1,836.43
Overtime	3,130.73
Travel out of Commonwealth	123.72
Mains Extension	22,817.53
Mains in Private Ways	8,499.98
Return unexpended balance Mains in Private Ways	453.02
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund.....	1,794.15
Refund—Guarantee Deposits	274.50

Total Payments

\$ 175,697.08

Balance, December 31, 1953..... 155,804.76

\$ 331,501.84

Water—Tailings Account

Balance, January 1, 1953..... \$ 0.45

Balance, December 31, 1953..... \$ 0.45

Water Maintenance Account

Appropriation	\$ 88,953.80
Transfer from Water Surplus Account	80,295.33
Transfer from Reserve (Temporary Help).....	1,400.00
Refund	2.75

\$ 170,651.88

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Payments:

Cost of water	\$ 22,686.44	
Bond retirement	21,000.00	
Interest on bonds	1,403.51	
Materials and supplies	26,930.65	
Salaries and Wages (inc. Temporary Help)	64,142.92	
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Total Payments	\$ 136,163.52	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	34,488.36	
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		\$ 170,651.88

Water—Salaries and Wages Control Account

Authorized at Town Meeting		\$ 69,299.12
Payments:		
Maintenance	\$ 60,128.12	
Mains Extension	3,814.03	
Mains in Private Ways	1,628.42	
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Total Payments	\$ 65,570.57	
Unexpended	3,728.55	
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		\$ 69,299.12

Water—Temporary Help Control Account

Authorized at Town Meeting	\$ 3,450.00	
Transfer from Reserve	1,400.00	
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		\$ 4,850.00
Payments	\$ 4,014.80	
Unexpended	835.20	
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		\$ 4,850.00

Water—Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 3,500.00
Payments	\$ 3,130.73	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	369.27	
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		\$ 3,500.00

Water—Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$ 250.00
Payments	\$ 123.72	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	126.28	
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		\$ 250.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Water—New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 1,044.86
Payments:		
Ledger Files and Cards	\$ 487.00	
Alternators	116.50	
Total Payments	\$ 603.50	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	441.36	
		<u>\$ 1,044.86</u>

Water—New Truck

Appropriation		\$ 2,400.00
Payment: ½ ton Chevrolet Truck	\$ 1,836.43	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	563.57	
		<u>\$ 2,400.00</u>

Water Mains Extension

Appropriation		\$ 35,000.00
Payments:		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,814.03	
Materials and Supplies	11,298.50	
Trench Work	7,705.00	
Total Payments	\$ 22,817.53	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	12,182.47	
		<u>\$ 35,000.00</u>

Mains in Private Ways—Deposit Account

Deposits		\$ 9,138.99
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 1,628.42	
Materials	6,305.27	
Use of equipment	185.99	
Trench Work	566.29	
Total Payments	\$ 8,685.97	
Returned to Depositors	453.02	
		<u>\$ 9,138.99</u>

Account for Mains in Private Ways

Balance, January 1, 1953	\$ 43,504.93	
Transfer from Excess and Deficiency	6,495.07	
		\$ 50,000.00
Transfer to Excess and Deficiency (amount actually paid by Depositors)	\$ 8,685.97	
Balance, December 31, 1953	41,314.03	
		<u>\$ 50,000.00</u>

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Water Receipts Reserve

Receipts	\$ 209,751.01	
Refunds	369.08	
Balance from Maintenance	34,488.36	
Balance from Overtime Account	369.27	
Balance from Travel out of Commonwealth.....	126.28	
Balance from New Equipment	441.36	
Balance from New Truck	563.57	
Balance from Mains Extension.....	12,182.47	
	<hr/>	\$ 258,291.40
Appropriations	\$ 131,148.66	
Transfer to Reserve.....	1,400.00	
Transfer to Water Surplus Account.....	125,742.74	
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Water Surplus Account

Balance, January 1, 1953.....	\$ 80,295.33	
Transfer from Water Receipts Reserve.....	125,742.74	
	<hr/>	\$ 206,038.07
Transfer to Water Maintenance Account.....	\$ 80,295.33	
Balance, December 31, 1953.....	125,742.74	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 206,038.07</u>

SUMMARY OF

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Balances:

Departmental	\$ 222,618.95
Encumbered	12,819.01
Water	43,504.93
Water Service Deposits	420.00
Water Surplus Account	80,295.33
Water Tailings Account .....	.45
Dog Licenses	47.40
Premium on Bonds	959.25
Deposits for Deeds, Tax Possessions	5.88
Overlay of 1951	4.99
Overlay of 1952	22,289.91
Overlay Reserve	24,776.82
General Tailings Account	492.41
South Metropolitan Sewer	1,641.17
Abatement Smoke Nuisance	78.67
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses .....	.01
Metropolitan Water Assessment	238.17
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency	415.90
County Tax	8,927.33
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	4,927.00
Aid to Highways Revenue	3,603.79
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	\$ 428,067.77

Appropriations:

General Departments	\$2,711,355.26
Water Department	131,148.66
State Assessments	175,848.34
County Tax	80,995.02
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	50,900.64
Overlay of 1953	41,561.75
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	3,191,809.67

Transfers:

From Reserve Fund	\$ 20,499.15
Excess and Deficiency	27,497.47
Overlay Reserve	57,522.18
Water Surplus	125,742.74
Old Age Assistance	4,193.40
Sale of Lots and Graves	60.00
Aid to Highways	24,001.98
Water Maintenance	80,295.33
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	339,812.25

Receipts:

General Departments:	
Reserve for Liquidated Damages	\$ 576.80
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children and Disability Assistance	98,509.19
Old Age Assistance Recoveries	1,721.40
School Lunch Program	60,689.10
School Athletic Fund	5,273.38
George Barden-Smith-Hughes Fund	84.64
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	17,992.06
Interest on Trust Funds	11,589.92
Premium on Bonds	580.80
Withholding Taxes	203,296.69
Dog Licenses	3,559.60
Chapter 90—State and County	21,000.00
Gov. Stoughton Fund	500.00
Deposits for Deeds, Tax Possessions	14.30
Other Departmental Refunds	16,058.71
Deposit to Guarantee Completion Street Work	3,000.00
Sale of Land—Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton Street	3,000.00
Sale of Land—Blue Hill Avenue at Dollar Lane	7,000.00
Metropolitan Park Tax Refund	4.60
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	454,451.19
Water Department:	
Refund	\$ 2.75
Guarantee Deposits	8,137.00
Mains in Private Ways	9,138.99
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund	1,794.15
Water Receipts Reserve (Reimbursements)	369.08
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	19,441.97

Bond Issues and Loans:

Sewer Construction	\$ 80,000.00
Glover School Construction	370,000.00
Loan in Anticipation of Revenue	350,000.00
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	800,000.00

State Assessments Underestimated in 1953:

Boston Arena Authority	\$ 3,930.22
Charles River Basin	13.49
Auditing Municipal Accounts	210.26
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	4,153.97
Chapter 90—State and County	603.79
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	\$5,238,340.61

EXPENDITURES

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Expenditures:

General Departments	\$3,234,366.90
Water Department	175,697.08
State Assessments	151,058.95
County Tax	80,986.66
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	48,576.96
Dog Licenses to County	3,565.00
Withholding Taxes	203,296.69
Registering Deeds, Tax Possessions	9.18
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	350,000.00
Premium on Bonds	925.00
School Lunch Program	52,903.57
School Athletic Fund	5,707.40

Refunds:

1952 Taxes	145.20
1953 Taxes	4,930.40
1953 Poll Taxes	10.00
1952 Motor Excise	1,885.10
1953 Motor Excise	5,380.28
Estimated Receipts	30.60

\$4,319,474.97

Transfers:

Reserve Fund	\$ 30,000.00
Chapter 90 to Excess and Deficiency	5,302.42
U. S. Grant Disability Assistance to Administration	307.46
U. S. Grant Disability Administration to Assistance	1,376.32
Recovery—Old Age Assistance	7,939.77
Committee on Rubbish Disposal to Excess and Deficiency	100.00
Committee on Municipal Incinerator to Excess and Deficiency	98.00
Overlay of 1951	4.99
Overlay of 1952	22,289.91
Overlay of 1953	33,811.80
Overlay Reserve	24,776.62
Aid to Highway Revenue	24,001.98
Chapter 90—State and County	21,000.00
Guarantee Deposits	8,217.50
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax	1,641.17
Auditing Municipal Accounts	78.67
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses .....	.01
Metropolitan Water	22,925.20
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency	415.90
County Tax	8,927.33
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	4,927.60
Water—Interdepartmental	89,536.37

307,679.02

Departmental Balances to Revenue	\$ 76,569.90
Water Balances to Water Receipts Reserve	48,171.31
Departmental Balances carried forward	247,484.37
Reserve for Liquidated Damages	526.80
Metropolitan Parks	1,266.78
South Metropolitan Sewers	3,155.68
Abatement Smoke Nuisance	145.33
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses .....	.01
County Tax	8.36
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	2,323.68
Tailings Account	492.41
Dog Licenses	42.00
Premium on Bonds	615.05
Deposit for Deeds, Tax Possessions	11.00
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Streets	3,000.00
Overlay of 1953	7,749.95
Overlay Reserve	32,745.56
Sale of Land—Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton Street	3,000.00
Sale of Land—Blue Hill Avenue at Dollar Lane	7,000.00
Aid to Highway Revenue	601.81
State and County Aid to Highways	1.98
Water Balances forward	167,122.22

602,034.20

Encumbered:

Schools—General	\$ 722.00
Park—Development Andrews Playground	1,133.50
Park—Development Lane Playground	2,000.00

3,855.50

State Assessments Underestimated in 1952	1,693.13
Chapter 90—State and County	3,603.79

\$5,238,340.61

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash:

In Banks and Offices:

General	\$766,019.62
Water	155,804.76
Water, Petty Cash	25.00

\$ 921,849.38
3,711.07

Consumers' Savings Bank Deposits

Accounts Receivable:

1953 Taxes—Real Estate and Personal		29,917.03
1952 Motor Excise	\$ 1,165.64	
1953 Motor Excise	27,739.44	
		28,905.08

Special Assessments:

Unapportioned Sidewalk Assessments 1953	\$ 1,646.18
Sidewalk Assessments added to 1953 Taxes	5.64
Unapportioned Sewer Assessments 1953	20,155.27
Sewer Assessments added to 1953 Taxes	643.52
Unapportioned Street Betterments 1953	45,340.11
Street Betterment Assessments added to 1953 Taxes	327.92
1953 Committed Interest	144.77
Tree Warden Accounts Receivable added to 1953 Taxes	3.00

68,266.41

Departmental:

Aid to Dependent Children	\$ 2,032.53
Cemetery	21,271.03
Forestry	138.00
Highway	2,014.56
Old Age Assistance	390.11
Police	156.00
Public Welfare	54.00
School	648.64
Sewer	414.21

27,119.08

Water:

Rates	\$ 10,667.29
Services	2,528.11
Miscellaneous Jobbing	2,197.56
Liens added to 1953 Taxes	220.89

15,613.85

TAX TITLES

5,524.33

TAX POSSESSIONS

2,103.51

STATE ASSESSMENTS UNDERESTIMATED in 1953 to be raised in 1954:

Charles River Basin Tax	\$ 13.49
Boston Arena Authority	3,930.22
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency	210.26

4,153.97

CHAPTER 90—REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY

603.79

\$1,107,767.50

DECEMBER 31, 1953

LIABILITIES

CONSUMERS' GUARANTEE DEPOSIT FUND	\$	3,711.07	
TAILINGS ACCOUNT		492.41	
DEPOSITS TO GUARANTEE COMPLETION STREET WORK		3,000.00	
DEPOSITS FOR DEEDS, RECORDING, ETC.,—Tax Possessions		11.00	
OVERLAY OF 1953		7,749.95	
OVERLAY RESERVE		32,745.56	
STATE ASSESSMENTS OVERESTIMATED IN 1953:			
Metropolitan Park Tax	\$	1,266.78	
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax		3,155.68	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance		145.33	
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses .....		.01	
			4,567.80
COUNTY TAX—Overestimated in 1953			8.36
COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL ASSESSMENT Overestimated in 1953			2,323.68
REVENUE RESERVED UNTIL COLLECTED:			
Motor Excise Tax Revenue	\$	28,905.08	
Special Assessments Revenue		68,266.41	
Departmental Revenue		27,119.08	
Water Revenue		15,613.85	
Tax Title Revenue		5,524.33	
Tax Possessions Revenue		2,103.51	
			147,532.26
EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY			475,375.68
PREMIUM ON BONDS			615.05
SALE OF LAND—Blue Hill Avenue at Dollar Lane			7,000.00
Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton Street			3,000.00
DOG LICENSES			42.00
WATER SERVICE DEPOSITS			65.00
AID TO HIGHWAY REVENUE	\$	601.81	
STATE AND COUNTY AID TO HIGHWAYS		1.98	
			603.79
BALANCES ENCUMBERED:			
School—Rebuilding Athletic Field	\$	722.00	
Park—Development Andrews Playground		1,133.50	
Park—Development Lane Playground		2,000.00	
			3,855.50
DEPARTMENTAL BALANCES:			
Civil Defense	\$	550.39	
Committee East Milton Fire Station		6,500.00	
Fire Station Construction		814.13	
Fire—Temporary Housing of Men and Equipment		7,397.03	
Sewer Construction		84,497.70	
Sewer Assessment Refunds		1,384.88	
Reserve for Liquidated Damages—Ashes and Garbage Contract		526.80	
Improvement Pine Tree Brook		30,000.00	
Ferncroft Road and Victoria Street		1,512.27	
Pagoda Street and Pagoda Circle		2,614.48	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance		13,879.55	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance Administration		8,028.25	
U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children		5,085.71	
U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children Administration		1,409.48	
Recoveries—Old Age Assistance		1,747.36	
Elementary School Construction		1,182.01	
New Junior High School		237.36	
Committee Central High School		500.00	
Committee—Physical Education Facilities High School		717.59	
School Teachers' Retirement Fund		619.72	
Committee—New Glover School		1,621.50	
Acquiring Land Adjoining Glover School		1.00	
Glover School Construction		49,885.96	
School Lunch Program		11,062.00	
School Athletic Fund		4,143.78	
Milton Education Society Gift to Town		1,429.45	
Proposal to Enlarge Central Library		885.75	
Committee—Central Library		100.00	
N. T. Kidder Library Fund		3,485.10	
Committee—Uses Glover and Vose Schools		100.00	
Interest on Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund		806.37	
Oakland Hall Fund		417.61	
Governor Stoughton Trust Fund		4,867.94	
			248,011.17
WATER:			
Surplus Account	\$	125,742.74	
Accounts for Mains in Private Ways		41,314.03	
Tailings Account .....		.45	
			167,057.22
			<u>\$1,107,767.50</u>

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Apportioned Assessments Not Due	\$ 58,324.16
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\$ 58,324.16

Trust and Investment Funds	\$ 450,954.20
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\$ 450,954.20

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$1,441,000.00
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\$1,441,000.00

LIABILITIES

Deferred Revenue Accounts

Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1954	\$ 3,069.27	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1955	2,823.87	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1956	2,309.31	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1957	2,218.39	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1958	1,777.53	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1959	1,639.52	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1960	1,639.45	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1961	1,639.40	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1962	1,365.12	
		\$ 18,481.86
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1954	\$ 8,083.14	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1955	7,611.23	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1956	6,947.11	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1957	5,716.96	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1958	4,784.38	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1959	3,408.70	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1960	1,306.61	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1961	605.22	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1962	605.19	
		39,068.54
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1954	\$ 171.94	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1955	150.57	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1956	128.72	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1957	118.06	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1958	80.18	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1959	60.87	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1960	40.64	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1961	11.39	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1962	11.39	
		773.76
		<u>\$ 58,324.16</u>

Trust Fund Accounts

Mary L. Peabody Fund	\$ 5,574.11	
Tuell & Hallowell Citizenship Fund	1,920.16	
E. T. L. Reed Park Fund	11,734.93	
Public Library Fund	25,276.97	
Herrick Cemetery Fund	8,000.00	
Sarah G. Vose Cemetery Fund	1,170.63	
E. G. Tucker Cemetery Fund	1,168.48	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	355,879.56	
Charles T. Pierce Fund	1,603.10	
Jason Reed Cemetery Fund	2,626.67	
William B. Weston Hospital Fund	22,436.27	
Oakland Hall Library Fund	12,054.61	
Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Fund	1,508.71	
		<u>\$ 450,954.20</u>

Municipal Indebtedness

Sewer Loan of 1949	\$ 14,000.00	
Sewer Loan of 1950	40,000.00	
Sewer Loan of 1951	50,000.00	
Sewer Loan of 1952	44,000.00	
Sewer Loan of 1953	80,000.00	
		\$ 228,000.00
New Junior High School Loan of 1934	\$ 12,000.00	
New Elementary School Loan of 1951—Series "A"	320,000.00	
New Elementary School Loan of 1951—Series "B"	400,000.00	
Glover School Loan of 1953	370,000.00	
		\$1,102,000.00
Fire Station Construction Loan of 1952		69,000.00
Water Loan of 1924	\$ 1,000.00	
Water Loan of 1927	6,000.00	
Water Loan of 1928	4,000.00	
Water Loan of 1928	12,000.00	
Water Loan of 1939	2,000.00	
Water Loan of 1940	4,000.00	
Water Loan of 1941	6,000.00	
Water Loan of 1946	3,000.00	
Water Loan of 1949	2,000.00	
		40,000.00
Street Betterment Loan of 1949		2,000.00
		<u>\$1,441,000.00</u>

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT 1953

	Balance Uncollected Jan. 1, 1953	Committed	Paid Not Committed	Adjust- ments and Refunds	Collected and Paid Treasurer	Apportioned	Abated	Adjusted	Tax Titles	Balance Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953
1941-1951	137.44	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	137.44	....
1952										
Tax Titles Disclaimed	45,746.57	....	....	86.58	43,644.34	....	....	....	....	....
Real and Personal	31,002.24	14,716.05	....	7.43	42,658.64	....	304.92	.07	1,883.82	1,165.64
Motor Vehicle Excise	15.00	....	....	12.30	15.00	....	1,901.44	....	....	....
Forestry	261.30	....	....	....	273.60	....	....	....	....	....
Water Liens	705.94	....	....	....	694.10	....	....	11.84	....	....
Sewer Assessments	647.33	....	....	....	609.74	....	....	37.59	....	....
Betterment Assessments	358.45	....	....	....	340.66	....	....	17.79	....	....
Committed Interest	38,924.36	....	....	....	16,622.75	21,994.15	307.46	....	....	....
Unapportioned Sewer	7,522.58	....	....	....	803.55	6,719.03	....	....	....	....
Unapportioned Betterment	259.07	....	....	....	....	259.07	....	....	....	....
Unapportioned Sidewalk	125,442.84	14,716.05	....	106.31	105,662.38	28,972.25	2,513.82	67.29	1,883.82	1,165.64
TOTALS										
1953										
Real and Personal	2,043,962.58	....	....	....	1,985,280.95	....	26,419.40	....	2,345.20	29,917.03
Polls	14,486.00	....	....	....	12,034.00	....	2,452.00	....	....	....
Motor Vehicle Excise	262,983.00	....	....	....	222,416.39	....	12,827.17	....	....	27,739.44
Forestry	345.00	....	....	....	345.00	....	....	....	....	3.00
Water Liens	1,467.91	....	....	....	1,293.72	....	....	....	13.30	220.89
Sewer Assessments	9,620.68	....	....	....	8,484.66	....	492.50	....	....	643.52
Betterment Assessments	9,476.06	....	....	....	9,162.72	....	....	....	5.42	327.92
Sidewalk Assessments	210.81	....	....	....	205.17	....	....	....	....	5.64
Committed Interest	3,318.65	....	....	....	3,121.21	....	49.53	....	3.14	144.77
Unapportioned Sewer Assess- ments (Paid in advance)	1,984.51	....	....	....	1,984.51	....	....	....	....	....
Unapportioned Betterment As- sessments (Paid in advance)	2,753.81	....	....	....	2,753.81	....	....	....	....	....
Unapportioned Sewer Assess- ment	24,137.43	....	....	....	3,982.16	....	....	....	....	20,155.27
Unapportioned Betterment Assessment	55,023.56	....	....	....	9,185.95	....	497.50	....	....	45,340.11
Unapportioned Sidewalk Assessment	1,646.18	....	....	....	1,337.41	....	....	....	....	1,646.18
Interest on Deferred Taxes	1,337.41	....	....	....	828.00	....	....	....	....	....
Lien Certificates	828.00	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
TOTALS	2,433,611.59	....	....	....	2,262,362.66	....	42,738.10	....	2,367.06	126,143.77

G. FRANK KEMP,
Town Collector.

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

DEPARTMENTAL BILLS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

1953

	Balance Uncollected Jan. 1, 1953	Committed	Paid Not Committed	Adjust- ments and Refunds	Collected and Paid Treasurer	Abated	Paid Direct to Treasurer	Adjusted	Added to Taxes	Balance Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953
Cemetery	21,003.39	23,565.79	.....	3.00	23,301.15	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,271.03
Forestry	471.00	4,780.00	.....	.....	4,738.00	27.00	.....	3.00	345.00	138.00
Police	265.50	2,864.00	.....	.....	2,967.50	6.00	.....	.....	.....	156.00
Old Age Assistance	3,737.33	80,999.97	.....	.....	81,814.68	30.70	.....	2,501.81	.....	390.11
Public Welfare	652.96	1,308.05	.....	.....	1,254.05	.....	652.96	.....	.....	54.00
Aid to Dependent Children..	1,982.35	5,617.72	.....	.....	5,567.54	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,032.53
Highway	1,319.57	3,772.27	.....	.....	3,077.28	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,014.56
School	3,818.37	5,454.96	.....	.....	4,336.90	2,907.23	1,320.56	.....	.....	648.64
Tracher Building .....	.....	64.20	.....	.....	64.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Veterans' Benefits .....	.....	8,570.62	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,570.62	.....	.....	.....
Health	92.20	3,202.03	.....	.....	2,715.93	579.20	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sewer-Private	283.60	1,791.20	.....	.....	1,660.59	.....	.....	.....	.....	414.21
Disability Assistance	180.55	9,491.57	.....	.....	9,672.12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS	33,806.82	151,483.28	.....	3.00	141,169.94	3,610.13	10,544.14	2,504.81	345.00	27,119.08

WATER BILLS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

1953

	Balance Uncollected Jan. 1, 1953	Committed	Paid Not Committed	Adjust- ments and Refunds	Collected and Paid Treasurer	Abated	Paid Direct to Treasurer	Adjusted	Added to Taxes	Balance Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953
Water	33,194.20	205,802.73	.....	.....	199,810.20	538.56	8,289.97	.....	1,497.91	28,860.29

G. FRANK KEMP,
Town Collector.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON

1953			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	\$ 772,954.26	
	Receipts for the year		4,136,843.25
	Selectmen's Warrants paid	\$4,143,777.89	
Dec. 31	Cash on hand	766,019.62	
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		\$4,909,797.51	\$4,909,797.51

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON—WATER DEPARTMENT

1953			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	\$110,712.35	
	Receipts for the year		220,789.49
	Water Commissioners' Warrants paid	\$175,697.08	
Dec. 31	Cash on hand	155,804.76	
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		\$331,501.84	\$331,501.84

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON—TRUST FUNDS

Sarah G. Vose Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 170.63	
	U.S. Bonds, Series "G"		1,000.00
	Interest		29.50
	Paid, for Cemetery uses	\$ 29.50	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	170.63	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,000.00	
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		\$1,200.13	\$1,200.13

E. G. Tucker Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 168.43	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"		1,000.00
	Interest		29.44
	Paid, for Cemetery uses	\$ 29.44	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	168.48	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,000.00	
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		\$1,197.92	\$1,197.92

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Herrick Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	\$8,000.00	
	Interest		200.00
	Paid, for Cemetery uses	\$ 200.00	
Dec. 31	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	8,000.00	
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		\$8,200.00	\$8,200.00

Jason Reed Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 626.67	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"		2,000.00
	Interest		66.55
	Paid, for Cemetery uses	\$ 66.55	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	626.67	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	2,000.00	
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		\$2,693.22	\$2,693.22

Charles T. Pierce Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,561.85	
	Interest		41.25
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,603.10	
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		\$1,603.10	\$1,603.10

Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Care Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,469.89	
	Interest		38.82
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,508.71	
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		\$1,508.71	\$1,508.71

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 17,226.50	
	Milton Savings Bank		661.00
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"		290,000.00
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63		29,273.75
	Deposits to fund		17,992.06
	Interest		9,657.06
	Paid, for Cemetery uses	\$ 9,657.06	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	30,218.56	
	Milton Savings Bank	661.00	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	275,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63	29,273.75	
	U. S. Bonds, 3¼'s, 1983/'78	20,000.00	
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		\$364,810.37	\$364,810.37

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Elizabeth T. L. Reed Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank		\$2,445.28
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"		1,000.00
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/63		8,000.00
	Interest		289.65
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 2,734.93	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/63	8,000.00	
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		\$11,734.93	\$11,734.93

Tuell-Hallowell Good Citizenship Prize Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank		
	Account of principal	\$ 65.46	
	Account of interest	46.78	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,800.00	
	Interest earned in 1953	47.92	
	Paid: a/c prizes, u/w	\$ 40.00	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank		
	Account of principal	65.46	
	Account of interest	54.70	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,800.00	
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		\$1,960.16	\$1,960.16

Mary L. Peabody (Poor) Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 574.11	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	5,000.00	
	Interest	140.17	
	Paid, for distribution, u/w	\$ 140.17	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	574.11	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	5,000.00	
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		\$5,714.28	\$5,714.28

Oakland Hall Fund

1953			
Jan. 1	Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	\$ 3,000.00	
	Dorchester Savings Bank	53.22	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	9,000.00	
	Balance in general cash	282.11	
	Interest earned in 1953	308.89	
	Paid, for books, u/w	\$ 172.00	
Dec. 31	Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	3,000.00	
	Dorchester Savings Bank	54.61	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	9,000.00	
	Balance in general funds	417.61	
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		\$12,644.22	\$12,644.22

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund

1953

Jan. 1	Balance in General Funds	\$4,808.30	
	Received from Trustee	1,114.70	
	Paid: for Library uses.....	\$2,437.90	
Dec. 31	Balance in General Funds	3,485.10	
		<u>\$5,923.00</u>	<u>\$5,923.00</u>

William B. Weston Bequest

The \$15,000 Poor Fund left with Francis C. Welch, Trustee, is held in the Weston Estate, the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company now being Trustee. Copy of the Will is in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

The \$6,000 Hospital Fund is now represented by Certificate Number 602 of the Massachusetts Life Fund. For 1953, income added to principal was \$807.76 and capital gains \$228.61. The total of these amounts will be converted into shares of the Fund, the December 31, 1953 number of which is 762.02 with net liquidating value of \$28.60 per share.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

FUNDS HELD BY THE TOWN

Perpetual Care Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$355,153.31
This Fund is held by the Town Treasurer in accordance with Chapter 82,
Sections 15-18, of the Public statutes.

Mary L. Peabody Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$5,574.11
The clause under which this bequest is given is as follows: "To the Select-
men of the Town of Milton, Massachusetts, \$5,000 to be invested and the
income thereof to be distributed annually to the poor at Christmas."

E. T. L. Reed Park Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$11,734.93

EXTRACT FROM THE WILL OF ELIZABETH T. L. REED

"All the rest, residue and remainder of all the moneys remaining in the hands
of said Executor or Administrator, I direct shall be divided into three equal parts

"The second of said parts shall be paid to and deposited with the Treasurer for
the time being of said Town of Milton, the same to be received, held and invested
by said town as a fund to be known as the 'Jason Reed Fund,' and the income thereof
shall be applied to the preservation, care, improvement, or embellishment of the
said Milton Cemetery.

"And the third of said parts shall be paid to said Town of Milton and the same
shall be applied by the proper legal authorities to or towards laying out, improvement
or ornamentation of a Public Park or Parks in said town, in such manner as said
authorities may deem advisable.

"I make the foregoing bequest in favor of....., the Cemetery and the
Parks in said Milton, both on account of the deep interest taken by my father, the
late Jason Reed, deceased, in the affairs of said town, and of my own profound desire
for the welfare of said town and of the citizens thereof."

Jason Reed Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$2,626.67

Sarah G. Vose Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$1,170.63

E. G. Tucker Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$1,168.48

Herrick Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$8,000.00

Charles T. Pierce Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$1,603.10
Charles T. Pierce, late of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Greenwich, Conn., bequeathed
to the Milton Cemetery the sum of \$1,000.00, "the income to be used for
the care of my family lot."

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Care Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$1,508.71

Oakland Hall Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$12,472.22

The income from this Fund is paid out under the direction of the Trustees of the Public Library for purposes of the Mattapan Branch Library.

Tuell-Hallowell Good Citizenship Prize Fund

Amount held December 31, 1953..... \$1,920.16

EXCERPT FROM SCHOOL COMMITTEE RECORDS—SEPTEMBER 10, 1923

The Chairman presented to the Committee the following correspondence:

"To the School Committee of the Town of Milton:

"The Tuell Alumni Association herewith presents, through your Board, to the Town of Milton, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be held as a fund in perpetuity, and the income thereof to be paid to the School Department and to be used to provide two prizes, one prize to be known as the Hiram Tuell Good Citizenship Prize and to be awarded to the boy in the Senior Class of the Milton High School, who, in the opinion of the faculty of said High School, has shown in the highest degree, those qualities that make for good citizenship; the other prize to be known as the Henrietta T. Hallowell Good Citizenship Prize, and to be given to the girl in the Senior Class of the Milton High School, who, in the opinion of the above said faculty has shown similar qualities.

"The prizes are to be awarded each year at the graduation exercises. If such exercises are omitted for any year, the prizes are to be awarded on some other occasion, near the close of the school year."

PERCY E. SHELDON,

President, Tuell Alumni Association

June 22, 1923.

For additional gifts to the fund, see report of 1947.

Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund

The following is an extract from the will of Nathaniel Thayer Kidder. Eighteenth:

"I give and bequeath to the State Street Trust Company . . . the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), in Trust . . . the income only of which shall be paid at such times as the Trustees may from time to time determine, to said Town of Milton for the uses of the Milton Public Library system as the Trustees thereof for the time being may in their absolute discretion determine."

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

TREASURER'S REPORT OF TOWN BONDS

All Bonds a/o Notes outstanding are in denomination of \$1,000 and are unregistered unless otherwise designated. Interest on all issues is payable semi-annually, and all maturities and coupon interest are payable at the First National Bank of Boston, Massachusetts, unless otherwise noted.

All authorized but unissued balances have been rescinded by vote of the Town.

Bonds and Notes Authorized and Outstanding on December 31, 1953

Water Loan of 1924

\$75,000 authorized, \$50,000 issued. Dated December 1, 1924

Rate: 4%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
50	1,000	Dec. 1, 1954	1,000	Outstanding

\$1,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 49 inclusive, \$49,000 paid.

Water Loan of 1927

\$100,000 authorized, \$85,000 issued. Dated June 1, 1926

Rate: 4%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
80 and 81.....	1,000	June 1, 1954	2,000	Outstanding
82 and 83.....	1,000	June 1, 1955	2,000	Outstanding
84 and 85.....	1,000	June 1, 1956	2,000	Outstanding

\$6,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 79 inclusive, \$79,000 paid.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Water Loan of 1928

\$95,000 authorized, \$70,000 issued. Dated February 1, 1928

Rate: 3¼%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
67.....	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1954	\$1,000	Outstanding
68.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1955	1,000	Outstanding
69.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	1,000	Outstanding
70.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	1,000	Outstanding

\$4,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 66 inclusive, \$66,000 paid.
Nos. 67 to 70 inclusive, registered.

Water Loan of 1928

\$95,000 authorized and issued. Dated December 1, 1928

Rate: 4%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
84 to 86.....	\$1,000	Dec. 1, 1954	\$3,000	Outstanding
87 to 89.....	1,000	Dec. 1, 1955	3,000	Outstanding
90 to 92.....	1,000	Dec. 1, 1956	3,000	Outstanding
93 to 95.....	1,000	Dec. 1, 1957	3,000	Outstanding

\$12,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 83 inclusive, \$83,000 paid.

Water Loan of 1939

\$40,000 authorized, \$30,000 issued. Dated April 1, 1939

Rate: 1¼%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
29 and 30.....	\$1,000	April 1, 1954	\$2,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 28 inclusive, \$28,000 paid.
Payable at The Merchants National Bank of Boston, Mass.

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Water Loan of 1940

\$30,000 authorized and issued. Dated May 1, 1940

Rate: 1½%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
27 and 28.....	\$1,000	May 1, 1954	\$2,000	Outstanding
29 and 30.....	1,000	May 1, 1955	2,000	Outstanding

\$4,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 26 inclusive, \$26,000 paid.
Payable at The Merchants National Bank of Boston, Mass.

Water Loan of 1941

\$30,000 authorized and issued. Dated April 1, 1941.

Rate: 1¼%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
25 and 26.....	\$1,000	April 1, 1954	\$2,000	Outstanding
27 and 28.....	1,000	April 1, 1955	2,000	Outstanding
29 and 30.....	1,000	April 1, 1956	2,000	Outstanding

\$6,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive, \$24,000 paid.
Payable at The Merchants National Bank of Boston, Mass.

Water Main Construction Loan of 1946

\$15,000 authorized and issued. Dated March 1, 1946

Rate: .60%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
13	\$1,000	March 1, 1954	1,000	Outstanding
14	1,000	March 1, 1955	1,000	Outstanding
15	1,000	March 1, 1956	1,000	Outstanding

\$3,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 12 inclusive, \$12,000 paid.

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Water Main Construction Loan of 1949—Town Notes

\$10,000 authorized and issued. Dated April 1, 1949.

Rate: 1%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
716 and 717	\$1,000	April 1, 1954	\$2,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 708 to 715 inclusive, \$8,000 paid.

Junior High School Loan of 1934

\$335,000 authorized and issued. Dated July 1, 1934

Rate: 2½%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
324 to 335.....	\$1,000	July 1, 1954	\$12,000	Outstanding

\$12,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 323 inclusive, \$323,000 paid. Nos. 329 to 335 inclusive, registered.

Elementary School Construction

Loan, 1950—Series "A"

\$400,000 authorized and issued. Dated Feb. 1, 1951

Rate: 1.20%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
81 to 120.....	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1954	\$40,000	Outstanding
121 to 160.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1955	40,000	Outstanding
161 to 200.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	40,000	Outstanding
201 to 240.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	40,000	Outstanding
241 to 280.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1958	40,000	Outstanding
281 to 320.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1959	40,000	Outstanding
321 to 360.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1960	40,000	Outstanding
361 to 400.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1961	40,000	Outstanding

\$320,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 80 inclusive, \$80,000 paid.

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Elementary School Construction

Loan, 1950—Series "B"

\$500,000 authorized and issued. Dated Sept. 1, 1951

Rate: 1.40%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
101 to 150.....	\$1,000	Sept. 1, 1954	\$50,000	Outstanding
151 to 200.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1955	50,000	Outstanding
201 to 250.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1956	50,000	Outstanding
251 to 300.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1957	50,000	Outstanding
301 to 350.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1958	50,000	Outstanding
351 to 400.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1959	50,000	Outstanding
401 to 450.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1960	50,000	Outstanding
451 to 500.....	1,000	Sept. 1, 1961	50,000	Outstanding

\$400,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 100 inclusive, \$100,000 paid.

Glover School Construction Loan of 1952

\$370,000 authorized and issued. Dated February 1, 1953

Rate: 1.70%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
1 to 30.....	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1954	\$30,000	Outstanding
31 to 60.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1955	30,000	Outstanding
61 to 90.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	30,000	Outstanding
91 to 120.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	30,000	Outstanding
121 to 150.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1958	30,000	Outstanding
151 to 170.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1959	20,000	Outstanding
171 to 190.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1960	20,000	Outstanding
191 to 210.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1961	20,000	Outstanding
211 to 230.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1962	20,000	Outstanding
231 to 250.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1963	20,000	Outstanding
251 to 270.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1964	20,000	Outstanding
271 to 290.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1965	20,000	Outstanding
291 to 310.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1966	20,000	Outstanding
311 to 330.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1967	20,000	Outstanding
331 to 350.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1968	20,000	Outstanding
351 to 370.....	1,000	Feb. 1, 1969	20,000	Outstanding

\$370,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. None paid.

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Sewer Construction Loan of 1949—Town Notes

\$70,000 authorized and issued. Dated April 1, 1949.

Rate: 1%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
784 to 797	\$1,000	April 1, 1954	\$14,000	Outstanding

\$14,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 728 to 783 inclusive, \$56,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan of 1950

\$70,000 authorized and issued. Dated August 1, 1950.

Rate: 1.10%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
31 to 40	\$1,000	Aug. 1, 1954	\$10,000	Outstanding
41 to 50	1,000	Aug. 1, 1955	10,000	Outstanding
51 to 60	1,000	Aug. 1, 1956	10,000	Outstanding
61 to 70	1,000	Aug. 1, 1957	10,000	Outstanding

\$40,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 30 inclusive, \$30,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan 1951

\$75,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1951

Rate: 1.30%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
26 to 35	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1954	10,000	Outstanding
36 to 45	1,000	Oct. 1, 1955	10,000	Outstanding
46 to 55	1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	10,000	Outstanding
56 to 65	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	10,000	Outstanding
66 to 75	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	10,000	Outstanding

\$50,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 25 inclusive, \$25,000 paid.

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Sewer Construction Loan of 1952

\$55,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1952

Rate: 1½%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
12 to 22.....	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1954	\$11,000	Outstanding
23 to 33.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1955	11,000	Outstanding
34 to 44.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	11,000	Outstanding
45 to 55.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	11,000	Outstanding

\$44,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 11 inclusive, \$11,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan of 1953—Town Notes

\$80,000 authorized and issued. Dated August 1, 1953

Rate: 1.80%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
834	\$17,500	Aug. 1, 1954	\$17,500	Outstanding
835	17,500	Aug. 1, 1955	17,500	Outstanding
836	5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	5,000	Outstanding
837	5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	5,000	Outstanding
838	5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	5,000	Outstanding
839	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
840	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
841	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
842	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding
843	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding
844	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding

\$80,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. All are registered. Payable at the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company, Boston, Mass.

Street Construction Loan of 1949—Town Notes

\$10,000 authorized and issued. Dated April 1, 1949.

Rate: 1%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
726 and 727	\$1,000	April 1, 1954	\$2,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 718 to 725 inclusive, \$8,000 paid.

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Fire Station Construction Loan of 1952

\$78,000 authorized and issued. Dated Oct. 1, 1952

Rate: 1½%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
10 to 18.....	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1954	\$9,000	Outstanding
19 to 27.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1955	9,000	Outstanding
28 to 36.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	9,000	Outstanding
37 to 45.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	9,000	Outstanding
46 to 53.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	8,000	Outstanding
54 to 58.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1959	5,000	Outstanding
59 to 63.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1960	5,000	Outstanding
64 to 68.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1961	5,000	Outstanding
69 to 73.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1962	5,000	Outstanding
74 to 78.....	1,000	Oct. 1, 1963	5,000	Outstanding

\$69,000 outstanding December 31, 1953. Nos. 1 to 9 inclusive, \$9,000 paid. None registered.

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FUNDED DEBT OF THE TOWN

Water Loan of 1924	\$ 1,000
Water Loan of 1927	6,000
Water Loan of 1928 (Feb.)	4,000
Water Loan of 1928 (Dec.)	12,000
Water Loan of 1939	2,000
Water Loan of 1940	4,000
Water Loan of 1941	6,000
Water Main Const. Loan of 1946	3,000
Water Main Const. Loan of 1949	2,000
Junior High School Loan of 1934	12,000
Elementary School Loan, 1950—Series "A"	320,000
Elementary School Loan, 1950—Series "B"	400,000
Glover School Const. Loan of 1952	370,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1949	14,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1950	40,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1951	50,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1952	44,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1953	80,000
Street Const. Loan of 1949	2,000
Fire Station Const. Loan of 1952	69,000
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	\$1,441,000

FUNDED DEBT OF THE TOWN

Detail by Departments and by maturities of all Bonds and/or Notes outstanding
December 31, 1953.

	Water	Schools	Sewers	Streets	Fire Station	Totals
1954	\$16,000	\$132,000	\$ 62,500	\$ 2,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 221,500
1955	11,000	120,000	48,500		9,000	188,500
1956	9,000	120,000	46,000		9,000	184,000
1957	4,000	120,000	46,000		9,000	179,000
1958		120,000	25,000		8,000	153,000
1959		110,000			5,000	115,000
1960		110,000			5,000	115,000
1961		110,000			5,000	115,000
1962		20,000			5,000	25,000
1963		20,000			5,000	25,000
1964		20,000				20,000
1965		20,000				20,000
1966		20,000				20,000
1967		20,000				20,000
1968		20,000				20,000
1969		20,000				20,000
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	\$40,000	\$1,102,000	\$228,000	\$ 2,000	\$69,000	\$1,441,000

REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND THE
SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
MILTON, MASSACHUSETTS
For the Year 1953

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1953-1954

	<i>Term Expires in March of</i>	
Mrs. Harriet M. Melley..... 49 Plymouth Avenue, Milton		1954
Everett C. Myers..... 7 Pagoda Street, Milton		1954
Harry E. Carlson..... 84 Audubon Road, Milton		1955
Joseph C. Mahoney..... 9 Columbine Road, Milton		1955
Mrs. Teresa P. Edwards..... 202 Reedsdale Road, Milton		1956
Paul W. Knight..... 14 Belvoir Road, Milton		1956

ORGANIZATION

Joseph C. Mahoney	Chairman
Everett C. Myers	Secretary

MEETINGS

The Committee holds its regular meetings in the High School building on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1953-1954

Schools open on Wednesday, September 9, 1953
Schools close on Wednesday, December 23, 1953
Schools open on Monday, January 4, 1954
Schools close on Friday, February 19, 1954
Schools open on Monday, March 1, 1954
Schools close on Thursday, April 15, 1954
Schools open on Monday, April 26, 1954
Schools close on Friday, June 25, 1954
Schools will also be closed on October 12, 30, November 11, 26, 27, 1953 and May 31, June 17, 1954.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Owen B. Kiernan, B.S., Ed.M., Ed.D.

Office: High School Building
Telephone: BLuehills 8-0111

Residence: 37 Thompson Lane, Milton
Telephone: BLuehills 8-8279

Superintendent's Secretary

Frances Considine Smith, 17 Oak Street, Milton

Superintendent's Clerks

Alice M. Ellis, 107 Central Avenue, Milton
Dorothy B. Hersey, 156 Edge Hill Road, Milton
Edith E. Mullen, 180 Thacher Street, Milton

School Physicians

Dr. Lillian F. McMackin, 41 Windsor Road, Milton
Dr. George W. Winchester, 128 Blue Hills Parkway, Milton

School Nurse

§Frances L. Croskery, 261 Reedsdale Road, Milton
Margaret A. Sweet, 9 Edge Hill Road, Milton

School Dentist

Dr. John P. Herlihy, 48 Windsor Road, Milton

Supervisor of Attendance

Joseph C. Ryan, 270 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton

§ Leave of absence

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Milton:

Your School Committee feels that this year 1953 was one of progress in the Milton Public School System.

The new seven-classroom Glover School was opened for school purposes in September. We feel that Mr. George Curley and the Glover School Building Committee are to be congratulated for a job well done. They and we were particularly pleased with the many expressions of approval heard when the school was opened for public inspection on October 18.

The splendid work being done by the many curriculum committees gives evidence of proving most effective. A number of these groups have met with the School Committee to the mutual advantage of both. It is expected that many improvements in study schedules and subject matter as well as correlation between grades and schools will result from the work of these curriculum committees.

We have added typewriting to the subjects taught in our Evening Adult Classes and it has been very popular with approximately 64 enrolled. The total registration in evening courses is 253.

The general enrollment is progressing along the lines anticipated and our long-range building program has proved to be sound. The total enrollment increased by 200 pupils this year and the enrollment in elementary grades is at an all-time peak for Milton.

We have endeavored to spread out to the greatest extent practical our recommendations for capital expenditures. In our report of 1949 we stated, "This long term program should be undertaken gradually in order not to place an unnecessarily high tax burden upon the town during any one short period of time." In a few years the present large elementary enrollment will make it necessary to provide additional junior high facilities for them. After first using the Cunningham Junior High to its maximum capacity, it will be necessary to construct the projected junior high addition to the Pierce School, because at that time the High School will be needed for a full senior high school program. This projected construction, according to the enrollment data available to the School Committee, should be scheduled for 1957.

Last year the Town Meeting approved the setting up of a committee to study and report on the School Committee's proposal for enlarging and improving the physical education facilities at the High School. We refer you to our report of 1951 which stated, "Substantial renovations at the High School will be necessary in the near future." Many of these renovations have been completed as part of our yearly maintenance program. The special committee which has thoroughly studied the problem will recommend correction of the present inadequate locker and gymnasium facilities. Enlargement of the locker rooms and gymnasium is urgently needed. This work should start without fail in 1954. If for any reason it is delayed, it will certainly result in a difficult tax problem during the coming years.

During the past few years, considerable attention has been given to improving the lighting in the classrooms and this is being continued. We provide in the budget each year for the conversion to modern lighting of a number of classrooms.

We have during the past year studied our salary schedules. Meetings have been held with the Teachers' Salary Committee. A revised schedule is being included in our 1954 budget which will result in increased salaries starting in September 1954 with further adjustments in September 1955. This revised schedule brings Milton in line with communities comparable with it. We know that only by being fair and paying salaries—especially starting salaries—in line with other towns can we

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

hope to attain the kind of results we all desire. The rapidly expanding school population throughout the country has of course forced a continuance of the teacher shortage problem.

Your committee is most appreciative of the interest and practical help given in the form of scholarships. This we believe is of tremendous importance. The various P. T. A. organizations have been most helpful in this and many other respects.

We are extremely fortunate in having such outstanding personnel in the School Department and we sincerely express our thanks to them.

The Committee acknowledges the following gifts and scholarships received during 1953:—

Scholarships

Woman's Club Scholarships.....	\$ 200.00
Milton Players' Scholarship.....	\$ 200.00
Girls' League Scholarships.....	\$ 200.00
Milton Public School Teachers Association Scholarships.....	\$ 400.00
Milton High School Student Council Scholarship.....	\$ 250.00
Milton Town Club Scholarship.....	\$ 300.00
Milton High School Parent-Teacher Association Scholarships	\$1,000.00
Chester Stuart McCarthy Memorial Scholarship—Class of 1928	\$ 400.00
Jesse B. Baxter Scholarship—Established by Board of Trustees under the will of Mary A. Cunningham.....	\$ 500.00
Rutgers University Scholarship—Complete expenses for 4 years	
Boston University—tuition for 4 years and one year of graduate study	
Notre Dame University—Complete 4 year scholarship	
Bates College Scholarships.....	\$ 800.00
Colby College Scholarship.....	\$ 300.00
Pierce Secretarial School Scholarship.....	\$ 300.00
Simmons College Freshman Scholarship.....	\$ 200.00
Tufts Engineering School—competitive partial scholarship	

GIFTS

Milton High School

Oil painting of Mr. Horace F. Turner (Supt. of Schools, 1926-1951), Gift of Class of 1953

Apparatus and chemicals—Mr. Fred Y. Marshall to Science Department

Pictures—Mrs. Danforth B. Lincoln

Fossils—Mr. Dudley Churchill

Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School

Electric Scoreboard—Class of 1953

Memorial to Robert E. Tays, '53

Belcher School

\$35.00—Milton Mother's Club

Royal typewriter "Large Vogue" type—Belcher School P. T. A.

Typewriter table—Belcher School P. T. A.

Games—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cohen

Records—Miss Clara Wetherbee

Piano—Mrs. J. Franklin Livezey

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Glover School

Christmas Tree Decorations—Glover School P. T. A.
Aquarium—Mr. John Doran

Charles Sumner Pierce School

\$ 50.00—General contribution—Pierce School P. T. A.
\$ 30.00—Christmas parties—Pierce School P. T. A.
\$666.70—Educational Filmstrips—Pierce School P. T. A.

Tucker School

Royal typewriter "Large Vogue" type—Tucker School P. T. A.
Kindergarten records—Mrs. Louis Kaufman

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. MAHONEY, Chairman
EVERETT C. MYERS, Secretary
HARRY E. CARLSON
TERESA P. EDWARDS
PAUL W. KNIGHT
HARRIET M. MELLEY

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

GENERAL EXPENSES

Receipts	Expenditures
APPROPRIATION for 1953 \$868,750.99	Administration
	Superintendent\$ 9,500.00
	Use of Auto..... 350.00
	Clerks 11,965.36
	Attendance Service 200.00
	Traveling Expenses—
	Within State 57.44
	Out of State..... 172.28
	Office Expenses 3,748.11
	Instruction
	Principals and Teachers..... 594,101.47
	Transportation 434.39
	Clerks 10,156.43
	Textbooks 12,507.03
	Supplies 15,965.16
	Maintenance
	Repairs and Replacements... 56,121.52
	Operation of Plant
	Supt. Bldgs. & Grounds..... 5,502.00
	Use of Auto..... 256.75
	Mechanics' Wages 7,351.29
	Janitors' Wages 55,330.40
	Miscellaneous of Operation:
	School Truck 153.21
	Janitors' Supplies 3,957.33
	Fuel 18,499.91
	Light and Power..... 13,573.68
	Telephones 1,839.29
	Gas 1,001.27
	Water 1,225.91
	Auxiliary Agencies
	Libraries 2,049.67
	Promotion of Health:
	Physicians 2,421.25
	Nurse 1,863.00
	Use of Auto..... 190.00
	Medical Supplies 178.11
	Play and Games..... 1,705.71
	Transportation—Salaries 2,288.03
	Contracts and Tickets..... 14,750.25
	Miscellaneous:
	Tuition 781.43
	Sundries 800.58
	School Lunch Program... 3,478.00
	Driver Education Program 457.59
	Addition to Plant
	New Equipment 7,100.99
	Total .....\$862,034.84
	Reverted December 31, 1953 . 6,716.15
<u>\$868,750.99</u>	<u>\$868,750.99</u>

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REIMBURSEMENTS TO TOWN TREASURER

During Fiscal Year 1953

Reimbursement from State on account of Chapter 70 of the General Laws	\$44,062.79
Reimbursement from State on account of State Wards.....	2,344.85
Reimbursement from City of Boston on account of City Wards.....	499.55
Reimbursement from Non-Resident pupils on account of tuition.....	1,290.00
Reimbursement from Milton schools on account of school activities:	
Manual Training	\$ 75.57
Dental Dispensary	19.00
Use of School Buildings.....	240.00
Miscellaneous	1,001.57
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	1,336.14
Total reimbursement to Town Treasurer on account of schools.....	<hr/> \$49,533.33

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Milton School Committee
Milton, Massachusetts

Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Melley, and Gentlemen:

It is a pleasure to present once again to the School Committee and citizens of Milton, the annual report of the Public Schools. This account of stewardship endeavors to set forth only that information which is of special interest and which will serve as an official record for the school year ending December 31, 1953. To supplement this document and to create broader citizen interest, a pictorial report is now in preparation. The school editorial staff has scheduled publication tentatively for the late spring of 1954.

Today there is a mounting tide of sentiment in behalf of better schools. It swells from the ranks of citizens in every American community who recognize more clearly than ever that a high level of universal education is indispensable to the solution of the basic problems of citizenship. In underwriting adequate school programs, and Milton has been a leader in this respect, cost factors must be faced squarely on an annual basis or our youth may be penalized in a society demanding advanced education on an ever increasing scale. It appears appropriate, therefore, to give some consideration in this report to the rising costs of public education. Similar information is presented to the Warrant Committee each year in accordance with Chapter 3 (Section 4a) of the General Bylaws of the Town.

Cost of Public Schools

For the first time, in 1953, in accordance with Chapter 59, Section 23C, of the General Laws, the taxpayers received a school and municipal tax bill. Of the total of \$44.00 the school rate amounted to \$15.18 (34.5%) and the municipal rate amounted to \$28.82 (65.5%). It has been universally true that school costs customarily consume one-third to one-half of the tax dollar. The 34.5% rate for the Public Schools of Milton reflects costs well within the usual rule of thumb on the minimum level. It should be noted also that in establishing the total school tax all costs were included (general appropriation for support and maintenance of public schools, vocational education, principal and interest on school debt, and miscellaneous charges).

In discussing the question of public school costs members of the School Committee and school staff are sometimes asked if towns and cities are to be faced annually with expanding school budgets. Basically there are three major-category answers to this question.

1. Inflationary costs have been reflected in salary and operational accounts in business, industry, and the professions. The public schools have absorbed these increases along with all other departments.
2. During the last quarter century many improved and extended services have been established. In several instances the inauguration of such services was mandated by State Law.
3. Much has been written about the tremendous increase in our national birth rate. Although Milton, because of exceptionally sound zoning regulations

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

has avoided "mushroom" growth, nevertheless enrollment increases are being felt. These increases in school population mean two things—more space and more personnel. As this report goes to press our elementary schools house the highest population in the town's history—2,038. Our two new elementary schools, the Charles Sumner Pierce School opened in September 1952, and the new Glover School opened in September 1953, are operating at planned capacity (600 pupils for the former, and 235 for the latter). With a present total school enrollment of 3,335 pupils we are within 36 of the all-time high established in 1939. At that time there were 1,707 in the elementary schools and 1,664 in the junior and senior high schools. It should be remembered that the holding power of the secondary schools was considerably greater during the late 30's and that local, state-wide, and national conditions were somewhat different than the present day situation. Also our secondary school teacher-pupil ratio was exceptionally high and the senior high school building crowded. Such conditions seriously affect the adequacy of the educational program. A final comment might be made on the private school population which tends to be sizable in communities of Milton's type. In spite of fairly large numbers enrolled in the town's independent and parochial schools, the present public school enrollment trend has not been affected appreciably.

In line with the above-mentioned enrollment and associated plant problems, the School Committee has presented in several Annual Reports an intelligently spaced, long-range building program. In September 1954 the first 300 pupil class will enroll in the seventh grades of our junior high schools. As this enrollment wave moves forward, a west junior high school must be planned to care for these additional pupils. As indicated in the Committee's reports, this should be scheduled for the latter part of the present decade as an extension to the Pierce School, at which time the senior high school building will be used solely for pupils in grades ten, eleven, and twelve. In the middle 1960's the Belcher School is scheduled for replacement. A current step which has been included in the 1954 Warrant is the necessary improvement, both in terms of space needs and sanitary conditions, of the High School physical education plant. Modernization of our physical education facilities is required to correct the present serious plant limitations. The Committee has planned this project on the long-range schedule so as to prevent unnecessary tax burdens falling within one year or within a limited period. An expenditure of approximately \$350,000.00 is contemplated for the total project, of which 20% would be reimbursed by the State on additions to the building. It will be recalled that State reimbursement totaling \$195,070.90 assisted in the construction of the Pierce School and approximately \$80,000.00 is anticipated on the new Glover School.

The fact that building construction must be considered on an annual basis at the present time is due to the lack of building during the depression 30's and the building restrictions imposed during World War II. This created a backlog of building needs which are being met directly by Milton and our neighboring communities.

The largest single account in a school budget is that which is established to care for instructional salaries. In Milton this totals \$632,513.60 or 69% of the over-all budget. In keeping with salary surveys both on a state-wide and national level, the School Committee has continued to review salary needs as they affect our own system. After carefully weighing all sides of the question this year, two revised schedules have been adopted for inclusion in the 1954 and 1955 budgets. These schedules place Milton more in line with competitive school systems.

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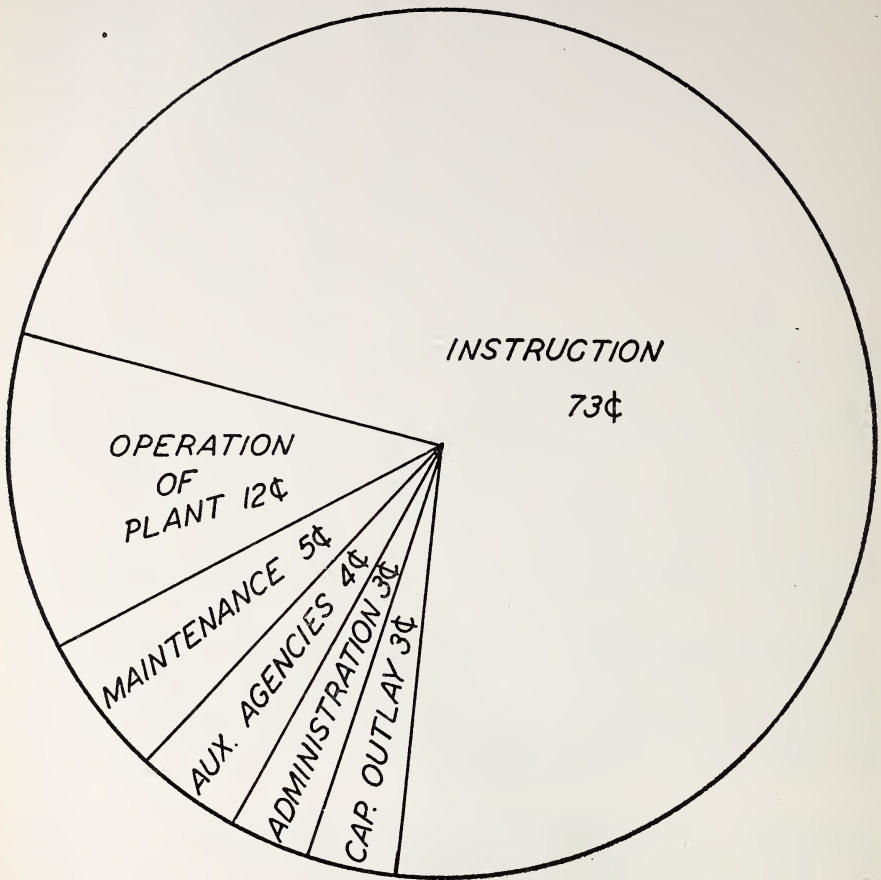
Salary Schedule for Teachers

<i>Periods</i>	<i>Steps</i>	<i>Bachelor</i>		<i>Master</i>		<i>Six Years of Preparation</i>	
		1954	1955	1954	1955	1954	1955
A	1 (Basic Minimum)	\$2,900	\$2,900	\$3,100	\$3,100	\$3,300	\$3,300
	2	2,950	3,025	3,150	3,225	3,350	3,425
	3	3,000	3,150	3,200	3,350	3,400	3,550
	4	3,125	3,275	3,325	3,475	3,525	3,675
B	5	3,325	3,475	3,525	3,675	3,725	3,875
	6	3,450	3,600	3,650	3,800	3,850	4,000
	7	3,575	3,725	3,775	3,925	3,975	4,125
	8	3,700	3,850	3,900	4,050	4,100	4,250
C	9	3,900	4,050	4,100	4,250	4,300	4,450
	10	4,025	4,175	4,225	4,375	4,425	4,575
	11	4,150	4,300	4,350	4,500	4,550	4,700
	12	4,275	4,425	4,475	4,625	4,675	4,825
D	13	4,475	4,625	4,675	4,825	4,875	5,025
	14	4,600	4,750	4,800	4,950	5,000	5,150
	15	4,725	4,875	4,925	5,075	5,125	5,275
	16 (Basic Maximum)	4,900	5,075	5,100	5,275	5,300	5,475

The above schedule is of the single salary type, the distinguishing characteristic of which is that the salary class to which a classroom teacher is assigned depends on the professional training and qualifications of the teacher rather than the school level or grade assignment. Thus, the first grade teacher with equal professional preparation attains the same maximum as any high school teacher. Also, a sex differential does not exist as men and women teachers may realize the same maximum salary on any given professional level.

To guarantee the continuous professional advancement of the staff, all teachers are required to complete satisfactorily six units in graduate study to advance to Periods B, C, and D. In addition a three unit requirement must be met to attain Step 16, the basic maximum.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EXPENSE DOLLAR



Instruction: This major account usually takes $\frac{3}{4}$'s of the school expense dollar, and includes salaries of principals, supervisors, and teachers, as well as all text-books, supplies, and instructional materials.

Operation: Approximately 12% of the budget is allocated for operating our buildings. Janitors' and mechanics' salaries, custodial supplies, fuel, light and power, telephone, gas, and water costs fall under this classification.

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Maintenance: Repairs and replacements in maintaining our school plants constitute 5c on the dollar. It is accepted as sound economy to expend sufficient funds annually to keep the buildings in good repair, thus eliminating very costly appropriations for major replacements.

Administration: Required by statute, this account involves all overhead costs of regulative and executive service, including expenditures for the business and educational administration of the public schools. Central office salaries, attendance and census services are classified under administration.

Auxiliary Agencies: Another nominal 4% charge covers such items as libraries, transportation of pupils, promotion of health including salaries of nurse and physicians, school lunch, and driver education programs.

Addition to Plant: Capital outlay expenditures require a 3% budgetary provision. New grounds and buildings, major alterations, new equipment such as pupil desks, musical instruments, commercial machines, and laboratory apparatus are included.

The Staff of the Public Schools

Again this year staff turnover was relatively light. There are perhaps two primary reasons for this situation which results in a most desirable stability. First, the excellent reputation of our community and its school system, and secondly, the dedication of its staff. The superintendent herewith records his appreciation to all who reflect this most commendable spirit. In several instances employees held to their positions although beckoned by more remunerative opportunities in other fields.

Although public school service, as such, has not been associated with the development of quarter century clubs, it is interesting to note the many school employees who readily qualify. An examination of the several rosters contained in this report will reveal the names of those who have served faithfully over the years. The author does not wish to imply that merely by remaining on the staff for a period of years one gains both dedication and competency. To do so would be to deny the outstanding contributions of those whose service is limited. This merited commendation is aimed at all who place the welfare of our boys and girls first, and who have loyally and conscientiously performed their duties.

In 1953 two such employees retired from the public school system—Miss Claire E. Partridge, a member of the English Department of the Senior High School, and Mr. Andrew D. Walker, Chief Custodian of the Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School. The former, in addition to recognized teaching ability, in the classroom, contributed much in the extra-curricular area of dramatics. The latter was responsible for the exceptionally high standards of custodial care and maintenance in evidence at Cunningham. Visitors to this beautiful building are surprised to learn of its eighteen years of almost daily use.

Another staff member whose termination of service caused deep regret among associates, parents, and the student body was Principal Margaret Richardson who left to establish a home. With the exception of military leave for naval duty during World War II, Miss Richardson served from 1936, first as a member of the Cunningham faculty and later as Principal of the Tucker School.

In the field of cafeteria service, Mrs. Josephine McAteer retired after thirty-one years at the High School. This unusual devotion to duty establishes an all-time record for the Cafeteria Department. Although serving a considerably shorter

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tenure, it was with regret that the Committee accepted Mrs. Margaret MacDonnell's resignation as Manager of the Cunningham Cafeteria. This termination step was made necessary because of illness.

To those listed above and all others who have left the system, we extend best wishes for happiness and success in their new endeavors.

General

Curriculum Survey—Previous comment has been recorded with reference to the excellent work of the several curriculum committees. During the year eleven committees met in joint session with the School Committee. At these meetings the objectives of each subject area were reviewed, needs indicated, and reports of progress presented. By the close of the present school year the remaining groups will have received the opportunity of discussing their findings with members of the School Committee. Contemplated action resulting from these studies involves both subject and program improvements, as well as the adoption of needed basal textbooks and supplementary instructional materials. One of the committees, studying the vitally important subject of spelling, has already placed improved basal texts in our classrooms, and has completed work on a Spelling Guide specifically designed for this system.

District and Class Size—Every effort has been made to establish and retain an optimum class size throughout our community. This presents many difficulties associated with population shifts and housing developments which tend to create enrollment overloads in certain districts and limited enrollment in others. Attempts are made annually to hold to a minimum the number of pupils who must be transferred to maintain balanced districts. Generally speaking, pupils are assigned to one elementary building at which a kindergarten-grade six education is completed. The same holds true for junior and senior high school building assignments. A redistricting plan is now under study, however, involving the establishment of a better balance between the Central and Cunningham Junior High Schools. This is made necessary by the larger elementary school enrollments advancing to junior high level.

In 1953 we were fortunate in being able to establish a 28 pupil average in our elementary classrooms. This was accomplished with few family disruptions which is unusual in this age of rapidly expanding school systems. The one exception to approaching optimum class size occurred on the fourth grade level in the new Glover district. It is hoped that a satisfactory reassignment of pupils on this grade level will be accomplished by September 1954.

This year also witnessed the establishment of a double platoon system for our kindergartens. With the sharp increase in primary grade registrations, kindergarten classes reached and passed reasonable maxima. To guarantee each kindergarten child a richer and more purposeful program the platoon system was inaugurated in October 1953. Since that date it has functioned extremely well and teachers and parents feel generally that it is a worth-while plan. It has reduced the kindergarten average size from 41 to 21 pupils. In order to give each platoon those opportunities allied with morning and afternoon sessions the A.M. and P.M. platoons will be reversed on February first.

Modified Single Session—For a number of years the School Committee has received petitions from parents with reference to a town-wide single session day for elementary schools. Major difficulties involving district organization, transportation services, and the lack of adequate cafeteria facilities prevented consideration

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of such a plan. Also the majority of our older elementary buildings were designed specifically as double session schools. With the opening of our two new elementary schools, each housing a modern cafeteria unit, a modified single session day was adopted. Although it is still not feasible in all buildings, the proximity of the Cunningham Junior High Cafeteria to the Collicot School, allowed partial consideration in that district. Following the plan now operating in a number of metropolitan Boston communities, the School Committee voted to adopt a modified single session for Collicot during the winter months. The compelling reason for inaugurating this winter schedule was the factor of safety. During the periods when travel is more hazardous the single session day reduces the accident potential by fifty percent. Two noon trips, when traffic tends to be heavy, thus have been eliminated. Again, the acceptance of such a program must be conditioned on the adequacy of facilities in each building.

New Buildings Cited—As in the case with any new public building, hundreds of visitations are scheduled by local and out-of-town groups. The Pierce and Glover Schools to date have been subjected to the most detailed inspections by architects, engineers, contractors, building committees, state officials, and citizens at large. It is indeed gratifying to receive the many commendations on the general excellence of these schools. At times certain areas of the buildings receive merited awards. During the recent national convention of the American School Food Service Association such an honor was bestowed on the Pierce Cafeteria. It was selected as the outstanding elementary school cafeteria in Massachusetts, and one of the best nationally. It is significant to note that forty-four states submitted building plans in the general competition. Milton may well be proud of these two schools!

Scholarships—One of the most rewarding phases of school administration is to observe the school's product receiving his diploma at commencement and starting his successful climb on the ladder of higher education. Each year the competition for better trained young people accelerates and it is estimated that between 1967 and 1970 considerably more than double the present college enrollment will be seeking admission. Unfortunately, the costs of advanced training have been included in the upward inflationary swing. In many cases financing a college education is beyond the means of the supporting family. A hopeful solution to this problem is in the field of scholarship awards. In this respect Milton is among the most fortunate of communities. Local service organizations, women's clubs, civic groups, P. T. A.'s, professional associations, and philanthropically inclined citizens have come forward generously in support of our scholarship program. This past year the Trustees under the will of Mary A. Cunningham established a \$500 scholarship honoring one of Milton's elder statesmen — Jesse B. Baxter. For this award and the many others, may I express grateful appreciation on behalf of our student body.

In a year replete with the disruptions of a world attempting to return to peace, our obligations have increased multi-fold. To the end that these obligations be successfully fulfilled, our staff dedicates itself in the year ahead.

To the Chairman, Secretary, and members of the School Committee, the entire school staff, and the officers and citizens of the Town of Milton, I am deeply indebted and express humble appreciation for unfailing consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

OWEN B. KIERNAN

Superintendent of Schools

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REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH AND CENTRAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

The comprehensive public high school is planned to meet the secondary school needs of an unselected horde of young people who enroll every year. Despite a uniform program of studies in the elementary grades these teen-age pupils enter high school at various stages of development. Not only do they vary individually in academic attainment but they also differ widely in social experience and physical maturity. Inasmuch as this school endeavors to promote personal growth as well as formal education and since young people aspire to useful lives in divergent occupations it seems prudent to include in each year of high school life general education as well as training in specialized fields.

For more than half a century extra curricular activities have expanded in secondary schools. They are usually designed to broaden human contacts and to spur young people to attain higher standards. These salutary supplements can be detrimental to the main functions of the school if they replace or encroach upon traditional school regimen. It is my firm conviction that the blue chips in the school program are the fundamental learnings in the areas of communication and computation which facilitate worthwhile achievement in all ages. The mastery of tool subjects as a major function of the school should always be granted a priority rating subordinate to no other function.

Recently the enrollment problem in this building has not constituted a serious variable. Not only has the total pupil population remained stationary at approximately one thousand for several years but also the numbers in each elective subject have been quite constant. Uniformity of enrollment has aided both the efficient scheduling of teachers and the maximum use of regular school accommodations. Although several minor changes have been instituted in courses of study no alteration has been made in the program of studies during the past year.

The administration believes that the holding power of the school is good. Each year there are several genuine drop-outs who intend to terminate their formal schooling. Always there is an ebb and flow with non-public schools. More pupils, however, seem to drift to us from those schools than leave us to attend them. In addition this school has the pupil mobility problem common to suburban communities of a large city. The families of business executives flow from one part of the country to another with consequent disquietude to the pupils involved.

Are there appropriate and accurate measures to determine the effectiveness of our courses of instruction, our modes of evoking introspection, and our stimuli for self-direction? Such standardized tests as we think are valid and which we use during undergraduate years seem to indicate good procedures. A relatively high proportion of our graduates continue to be interested in the continuation of school life. They are welcome at higher institutions of learning and earn good scholastic records. Employers seek many more graduates of our business and industrial arts departments than are available. There is reason to believe that many of our pupils benefit from practical group ventures which make them conscious of civic responsibilities. Decentralization of organization provides opportunities for many pupils to obtain experience in democratic group action. Not infrequently a student is awarded a highly competitive honor such as the National Elks Leadership Award, which was granted to a graduate of last June. If the overall record is good, the foundation on which it is built must be sound. Personnel, policies, facilities, and modes of instruction may be partially ascribable causes of the record.

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Pupils and teachers are keenly cognizant of a more liberal school policy relative to building upkeep, modern equipment, books, and supplies. The building intra-communication sound system and the surface processing of the athletic field are outstanding examples of the new order. It is hoped that appreciation may be expressed by a more considerate civic attitude and a higher quality of school work.

It is quite commonly understood that Milton has a long range school building perspective which envisages the present high school building exclusively as a senior high school. The prospective enrollment of this school building within less than a decade should make the eventual separation of the senior and junior units almost inevitable. Segregation is in accord with modern educational thought. Benefits accrue especially to the younger group in a separate housing system. But in the interim such long range planning does not obviate the need for some building improvements. Of course the most needed renovations concern the antiquated locker room and the inadequate gymnasium facilities. Solutions of these problems are being presented for the consideration of the town during the current school year.

There are numerous other alterations which are contingent on more space that will not be available prior to a major school building development for secondary school pupils. However, there ought immediately to be a fireproof vault connected with the present high school office. Scholastic records are too valuable to both graduates and undergraduates to be stored in unprotected files. The clothes closet of the principal's private office could be converted into a well protected vault.

During World War II public interest in science expanded quite remarkably. In high school science the subject of physics was in the van. Not only did more pupils elect college preparatory physics but several courses of non-college physics were introduced. In Milton it became necessary immediately to use the old physics laboratory for both classroom and laboratory activities. The interest in and demand for instruction in physics has not receded since the national emergency became less stringent. The physics room ought to be renovated and equipped with modern apparatus suitable for a combination laboratory-classroom. Our school library is also another very worthy area for improvement consideration. However a trained librarian and more ample accommodations appear to be essential for substantial library betterment. The cafeteria is operating very effectively during the current school year despite cramped quarters.

For the entire school personnel may I express to you and to the School Committee appreciation for the friendly spirit, cooperation, the hours of study on common problems, and the help extended beyond the call of duty during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. MARSDEN

Principal

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE MARY A. CUNNINGHAM JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

This past year has witnessed the retirement of two important members of our school staff. Mrs. Margaret MacDonnell, who had been in charge of our cafeteria for eight years, resigned because of ill health. Mr. Andrew Walker, chief custodian since the building was opened in 1935, retired on November 30, 1953 under the compulsory retirement law. Neither of these positions are directly concerned with the teaching profession and yet the successful operation of a teaching program depends on the loyal and efficient service rendered by certain key staff members. Mrs. MacDonnell and Mr. Walker rendered such service, and their work and contribution towards the school's efficient operation were deeply appreciated.

After much study and discussion the schedule of classes at the Mary A. Cunningham School was changed at the opening of school in September 1953. For a number of years we had been operating on a six-period day. This permitted a long teaching period and eliminated compulsory homework to pupils of grades seven and eight. Under the new schedule we now have seven teaching periods per day, but homework is expected of all pupils. This program conforms to the schedule at the Central Junior High School. There has been considerable feeling that our schedules should run parallel. This program has other advantages. There is now found time in our daily program to schedule Glee Club and instrumental music classes. We find more time also for assemblies and guidance work. We hope that time will prove the effectiveness of the new schedule.

Under the auspices of our Student-Faculty Council, a point system has been devised by which students may receive awards in the form of monogrammed felt insignia. Such insignia are within the reach of *any* pupil in the school. In part the awards are made as follows: perfect attendance-3 points; honor roll-1 point for each marking term and 2 points for yearly average; sports-2 points for tri-league team, 1 point for intramural team, and 1 point for cheerleading; and music-2 points for band, Glee Club, and orchestra. Participation in various school functions may be rewarded with the granting of an additional point upon the recommendation of a member of the faculty. The first insigne is awarded when any pupil has accumulated six points. The second insigne is awarded when any pupil has accumulated fourteen points.

These awards have proven a desirable incentive device leading to good citizenship and active participation in the life of the school by many pupils.

The problem of feeding the children of the Collicot School in the Cunningham cafeteria is rapidly being solved. The number of pupils from the Collicot School who availed themselves of our facilities greatly increased over a year ago. This was particularly so with the institution of a modified single session day during the winter months. While there may be a few minor problems that remain to be corrected, on the whole the program proceeds without conflict.

This being my thirtieth year in the field of education, twenty-nine of which have been in the Town of Milton, perhaps I may be permitted to make one or two general observations.

I am asked many times by friends and acquaintances, and by former students, "How do you find the young people of today? Are they not more irresponsible than they were years ago?" The implication being that our present generation are

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largely juvenile delinquents, or at least unmanageable demons. This question outnumbered all others and is probably due to the publicity given to some recent juvenile escapades, by the many, and improved means of communication. In the search for news, it does make a difference in which direction one focuses his light. It is also strange that quite often this question is asked by one who himself might have been catalogued as a little demon when of school age. The truth, of course, is that we always have had our ups and downs of juvenile delinquency, and while at the moment there admittedly is an increase throughout the country, nevertheless the decided majority of young people are normal individuals capable of the same successes and achievements, and guilty of the same misdemeanors that seem to be common to young people through all generations. I have yet to present a group of young people with a reasonable problem that they did not attack with enthusiasm until it was solved. They may have needed some restraint here and there along the line, but their judgment by and large has been good. Please do not lose faith in our young people.

It has been my observation, for what it is worth, that the youth of today are living far beyond their years which is not their fault. They are able to gain possession of more information or knowledge than did the older generation of people within our community when they were juveniles. Some of this is good. Unfortunately much of it is bad and their immaturity prevents them from using this information intelligently. It is up to us, the adults in society, to be very close to our youth and provide friendly counsel and guidance. It is within the broken home, or the home where parents are absent for one reason or another, that delinquency creeps in. We, the adults, have a sacred obligation to perform. We must not blame youth for its failures.

The second question that raises its ugly head most frequently is "What is the matter with our schools?" Attacks by people who sincerely feel that the schools are doing a poor job and should be improved, and secondly, attacks that are malicious.

The latter attacks are most likely to come from people whose only thought is to cut taxes without considering the welfare of our young people, or from persons who are seeking publicity. Other attacks of this sort may come from people whose children have not lived up to the expectations of parents, or persons with a grudge against the local board of education. There are also those who are against public education, although these are in the great minority.

The first type of attack usually finds its source from people who lack an understanding of what the schools are doing, and this generally stems from poor school-community relations. Such criticisms may also come, due to lack of facilities to offer courses needed, and thus the school is not meeting the needs of the community.

Teachers are prone to believe that all criticism is unjust. We sometimes forget that we serve the community at the will and pleasure of the people whose children we teach. Our profession is one of service to the community and many desirable changes have come about from active participation in and constructive criticism of public education. We are not above reproach and should welcome such criticism. In the Town of Milton we have been most fortunate, within the teaching profession, to have a solid group of citizens throughout the town supporting the program as it is run and yet ever alert to the need for still further improvements.

May I in closing this report quote excerpts from an address by Henry Toy, Jr., Executive Director of the National Citizens Commission for the Public Schools:

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"I believe that the public schools are essential to our democratic way of life.

"I believe that the schools belong to the people, and it is up to them to determine the function of the schools.

"I believe that the institution of local boards of education has been an excellent medium to represent the considered will of the community.

"I believe that our public schools, despite their scattered shortcomings, are as much a symbol of progress, pride, and hope to America, as anything we know, except the products themselves of these schools."

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. CAMPBELL
Principal

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

The annual physical examination program is well under way with spaced examinations. The seventh and eleventh grades have been examined at the Cunningham Junior High School and at the Central Junior and Senior High Schools. All new pupils at these schools were examined as well as any from other grades who were referred by either their homeroom teacher or principal.

All kindergarten children who were not examined at the pre-school clinics are being examined. Physical examinations have been completed at the Pierce School and are under progress at the Glover School.

Parents are invited to be present at the examination of their children in the fifth grade. The response this year has been very good.

On Mondays and Fridays each school is visited. Children are seen who have returned from illnesses. These rounds present an excellent opportunity to work out any health problems with our principals and teachers.

At this time I wish to thank all my colleagues for their help in carrying out my duties as school physician.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN F. McMACKIN, M.D.
School Physician

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DENTIST

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

The Milton Dental Clinic was open forty-eight days. This year we have stressed the importance of the diet in the development of the teeth and jaws. Normal cleansing of the mouth is accomplished by well chosen and well chewed fibrous foods. To halt decay eliminate sweets, drink plenty of milk products, vegetables, fruits, lean meats, poultry, fish, whole grain cereals and breads.

Hidden sugar is explained in detail:

stick of gum— $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon sugar

candy—75 percent sugar

candy bars—5 to 10 teaspoons sugar

Each time a sweet is eaten your teeth suffer an attack by acids and if eaten between meals are more dangerous because they stick to the teeth, therefore, brush immediately.

Evidence favoring fluoridation continues to mount, leaving opponents with arguments based either on emotionalism or misinformation.

Miss Holden, Dental Hygienist, State Dept. Public Health, again visited us and was very helpful. Mrs. Campbell repeats her nutrition advice, plus orthodontic exercises. My duties as your school dentist have been a pleasure.

Following is a detailed report of the operative dentistry completed through the year.

	Pierce	Collicot	Total
Number of pupils	52	66	118
Number of appointments	73	150	223
Amalgam fillings	142	143	285
Cement fillings	36	32	68
Silver nitrate treatments	69	59	128
Sodium fluoride	33	35	68
Unacaine injections	93	93	186
Ravocaine injections	61	49	110
Prophylaxis	57	68	125
Extractions—Permanent teeth	20	12	32
Extractions—Temporary teeth	41	53	94
Abscessed teeth	19	12	31
Post operative treatment	8	7	15
Coronitis	1	0	1
Pulpotomy	0	1	1
Vincent's angina	0	1	1
Orthodontia treatments	4	8	12
Completed	8	14	22

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. HERLIHY, D.M.D.
School Dentist

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

"The technique of thinking together, working together, and planning together to develop the best plan for united action in a given program, with each participant understanding his responsibilities in relation to the work of others"—this is the goal of the health team which includes the school administrator, teacher, school physician, and the school nurse. The school nurse serves as an interpreter between school, home and community. She interprets to the physician, the school administrator, and the teacher the conditions in the home which help to influence the development of the school child. She interprets to parents the health services of the school and their relation to home and community facilities, as well as to the whole school health program. She co-operates with the school administrator and the physician in interpreting the laws and regulations affecting school health procedures to the school staff, to the parents, and to others in the community, and in promoting the use of significant data relating to the physical, emotional, and social health of school children. She assists the physician in preparing for and conducting the health examinations of school children; she is familiar with standards for maintaining a wholesome school plant and works with the school staff, the children, and the parents to see that safe and hygienic conditions are maintained; her function in health teaching is chiefly advisory.

I. Health Service

- A. Physical examinations—assists the school physician in preparing for and conducting the health exams of school children.
 - 1. All pre-school and kindergarten, third, fifth, seventh, and eleventh graders and those pupils new to the school system were examined. Parents of fifth grade pupils were invited to be present for conference with the physician.
 - 2. Pupils engaged in competitive sports.
 - 3. Pupils in intervening grades who were referred by teachers for some special reason.
 - 4. Recorded all results of examination on Health Cards and the parents of all pupils were notified of the examination results.
 - 5. Follow-up in securing the correction of remediable defects.
- B. Daily observations of the physical and emotional conditions of pupils are made by the classroom teacher and necessary referrals are made to the nurse when she makes rounds.
- C. Vision and Hearing Tests
 - 1. Demonstrated and arranged for Massachusetts Vision Test and Pure Tone Audiometer Test of elementary school pupils and retested the failures.
 - 2. Vision and hearing tests at the High School were given to grades 7, 9, and 11 by Mr. E. Francis Kane.
 - 3. Vision and hearing tests were given at Cunningham Junior High School by Miss Margaret Doyle.
 - 4. Recorded results on Health Cards and notified parents of any failures resulting from the tests.
- D. Emergency Care of Accidents and Sudden Illnesses
 - 1. Replenished First Aid units in each school.
 - 2. First Aid administered to school accident cases.
 - 3. Provided transportation for ill students when otherwise not available.

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E. Dental Health

1. Referred eligible students to School Dental Clinic as determined by educational or economic need.
2. Dental survey conducted at the Tucker School by a hygienist from the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.

F. Diphtheria and Tetanus Immunization Clinics

1. Assisted Mr. Warrell, Officer of the Board of Health, in setting up 4 clinics.

G. Chest X-ray Mobile Unit

1. Annual Chest X-Ray survey of the twelfth grade.
2. Staff members X-Rayed at 3-year intervals.
3. Cafeteria employees X-Rayed annually.

H. Communicable Disease and Parasite Control

1. Examination of skin rashes and referral to school or family physician.
2. Interpretation of Health Department regulations to Teachers and Family.

II. Health Education

- A. Health guidance for parents and pupils through home visits and individual conferences in school to provide for the physical, mental, and emotional and social development of the child.
- B. Spoke at Teacher's Meetings in all the elementary schools regarding the daily observation of the pupils; how the teacher can help to keep the health records as accurate as possible; and to answer any questions they might have pertaining to good health.
- C. Individual conferences with teachers regarding their health or the health of a pupil.
- D. Consultation with the school physician regarding health problems arising in our system.

Since September, I have been substituting for Miss Croskery. I have tried to follow the health program as outlined by her through the counseling and assistance of Dr. Kiernan, Superintendent of Schools, and Dr. McMackin, School Physician. I feel that a more complete health program could be carried out with two nurses or a technical assistant. Additional staffing would be of considerable assistance during periods of emergency. Then, too, because there is such a full program for one nurse, there is not enough time for planning a more active health education program.

For their willing assistance, I would like to convey to the school personnel my profound thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET A. SWEET, R.N.
Acting School Nurse

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

I hereby submit my report as Supervisor of Attendance for the period from January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953.

Number of cases investigated.....	6
Number of personal calls made.....	10
Number of recorded telephone calls.....	25
Absences due to illness.....	2
Absences due to truancy.....	5
Milton Public School Pupils.....	5
Pupils of other schools.....	1

This report includes investigations of pupils living in Milton who attend public or private schools elsewhere as well as pupils who attend school in Milton.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. RYAN

Supervisor of Attendance

APPENDIX

SPECIAL REPORTS

AND

STATISTICS

QUOTATIONS FROM RULES AND REGULATIONS OF
THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1. Admission to Kindergarten and to First Grade

Section 66. Children who will be five (5) years of age before January 1 of the following year may be admitted to the Kindergarten during the month of September. Children whose residence in Milton began after the beginning of the school year may be admitted to school under the above conditions. Children who will be six (6) years of age before January 1 of the following year may be admitted to the first grade during the month of September.

2. Tuition Pupils

Section 90. The Public Schools and services thereof shall be considered for Milton residents only. Non-residents, however, may be admitted under certain extraordinary conditions at the following annual tuition rates: High School, \$325, (three hundred and twenty-five dollars); Junior High School, \$275, (two hundred and seventy-five dollars); Elementary School, \$175, (one hundred and seventy-five dollars); Special Class at Mary A. Cunningham, \$375, (three hundred and seventy-five dollars). Tuition is payable for such students *at the beginning* of each term and payments shall be forwarded to the Town Treasurer. Pupils whose term bills have not been paid at the end of the second week from the time the bills have been rendered shall be required to discontinue their attendance at school.

No-School Signal

In the event of exceptionally severe weather conditions, or when the transportation system is disrupted, WBZ, WNAC, WEEI, WCOP, WHDH, and WJDA will broadcast the no-school announcement between 7:00 and 8:00 A. M. In addition, the signal 2-2 sounded four times on the fire alarm at:

7:15 means no school sessions for all schools for the entire day.

7:30 means no school sessions for all schools below the Junior High School for the entire day.

11:40 means no afternoon session for schools below the Junior High School. This signal will not be sounded if the 7:15 or 7:30 signal has been sounded.

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We feel these signals are clear and, therefore, urge parents and students to refrain from flooding the Radio Stations, Fire Department Headquarters, and homes of School Department personnel with telephone calls.

The widely varying conditions in the several parts of Milton make it difficult to reach decisions equally fair to all interests. On days when the signal is not used, weather conditions may warrant the non-attendance of certain children. Lack of normal health would tend to make it advisable for parents to keep the child at home. Since weather reports are not always reliable, and since the School Department desires to render maximum education service by having the schools open the greatest number of days, storm signals *will not be used* on ordinary rainy or snowy days or when there is reasonable doubt.

RELATIVE DISTRIBUTION OF PUPILS

IN KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY GRADES I-VI AND
SECONDARY OR HIGH SCHOOL GRADES VII-XII



KINDERGARTEN

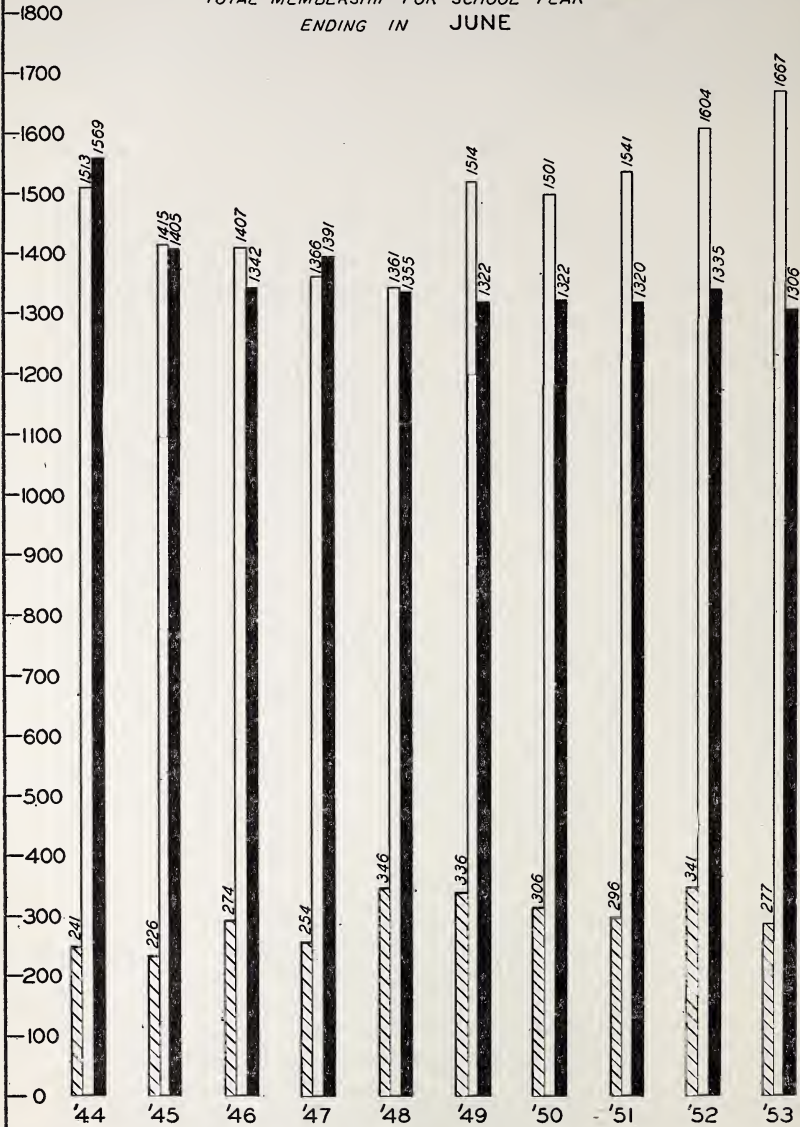


GRADES I-VI



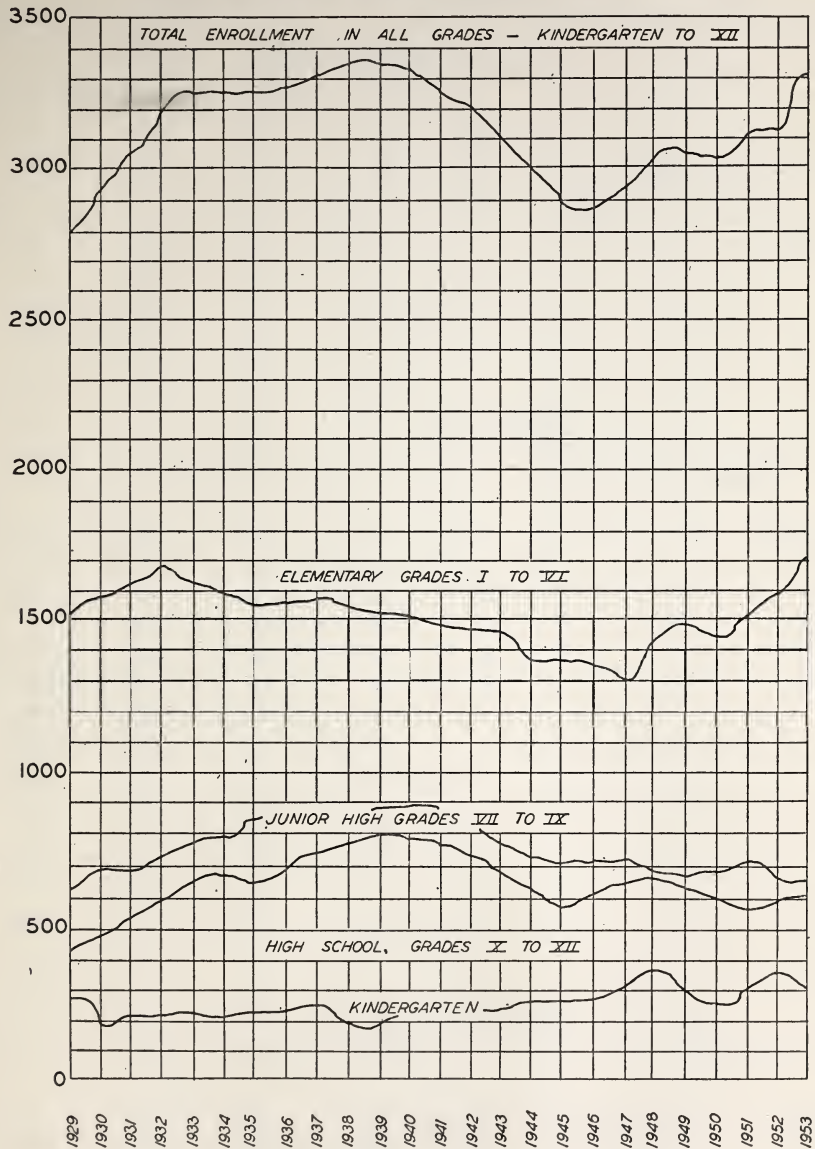
GRADES VII-XII

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP FOR SCHOOL YEAR
ENDING IN JUNE



REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

TRENDS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT IN MILTON



THE NOVEMBER ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS IN EACH DIVISION OF THE
SCHOOL SYSTEM YEARLY FROM 1929-1953 IN KINDERGARTEN,
ELEMENTARY, JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 1953

Schools	Grades	Total Member- Ship	Average Member- ship	Average Daily Attendance	Per cent of Attendance
High	10-12	612	591	554	94
Central Junior High.....	7-9	389	371	349	94
Cunningham Junior High....	7-9	305	298	282	94
Belcher	6	36	34	33	95
	5	29	27	25	94
	4	31	30	28	94
	3	26	23	22	94
	2	30	29	27	92
	1	25	23	22	92
	Kindergarten	19	17	15	86
Totals		196	183	172	92
Collicot	6	28	27	25	93
	6	28	28	26	94
	5	34	33	31	93
	5	33	32	30	93
	5	33	32	30	95
	4	20	19	17	91
	4	23	23	21	93
	4	25	24	22	92
	3	30	29	27	94
	3	31	29	28	94
	3	31	30	28	93
	2	25	24	21	90
	2	27	25	23	92
	1	24	23	21	91
	1	27	24	22	92
	1	26	24	22	91
	Kindergarten	69	66	57	87
Totals		514	492	451	92
Glover	3	23	22	20	93
	2	20	19	18	92
	1	21	21	18	87
	Kindergarten	31	29	25	86
Totals		95	91	81	90

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE—*Continued*

Schools	Grades	Total Member- ship	Average Member- ship	Average Daily Attendance	Per cent of Attendance
Pierce	6	30	29	27	94
	6	29	29	27	95
	5	38	37	34	93
	5	38	37	35	93
	5	38	37	35	94
	4	33	32	30	93
	4	34	34	31	92
	4	33	32	30	92
	3	29	28	26	93
	3	29	28	26	92
	3	28	28	26	93
	2	26	26	23	91
	2	26	26	24	93
	2	26	25	24	93
	1	33	33	30	91
	1	34	32	29	92
	1	33	31	28	88
	Kindergarten	40	38	34	88
	Kindergarten	40	39	34	88
Totals		617	601	551	92
Tucker	6	28	27	25	94
	6	29	28	27	95
	5	32	30	28	93
	5	34	33	31	94
	4	30	30	28	94
	4	30	29	27	95
	4	31	30	28	93
	3	37	36	33	91
	3	38	36	34	93
	2	29	28	26	93
	2	26	25	23	94
	1	33	31	29	94
	1	34	33	31	95
	1	33	31	29	93
	Kindergarten	34	31	27	86
	Kindergarten	44	43	38	87
Totals		522	501	465	93
Grand Totals		3,250	3,128	2,905	93

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MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1953

Boys

Age	4*	5*	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Kgn.	39	129	1														169
1		25	95	3													123
2			45	109	11	1											166
3				37	74	12											123
4					48	103	20	4									175
5						42	86	20	2	1							151
6						1	47	96	16	1							161
7								32	58	11	3						104
8								1	53	44	13	4					115
9									1	49	56	15	1				122
10											35	73	25	3	1		137
11											2	32	44	18	3		99
12												1	36	45	12	2	96
13																	
Ungraded					2	2	1	3	1	1	3	2	1				16
Totals	39	154	141	149	135	161	154	156	131	107	112	127	107	66	16	2	1,757

Girls

Age	4*	5*	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Kgn.	33	115	1														149
1		36	96	1													133
2			63	84	4	1											152
3				44	58	4											106
4					45	66	8										119
5						59	73	10									142
6							67	76	3								146
7							1	53	43	6	1						104
8									55	41	1						97
9									2	48	43	6					99
10										4	49	48	7	2	2		112
11											4	49	47	11	1		112
12													30	45	3		78
13																	
Ungraded					1		2		1			1					5
Totals	33	151	160	129	108	130	151	139	104	99	98	104	84	58	6		1,554

*Four years up to five years; five years up to six, etc.

ROSTER OF PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS IN MILTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, JANUARY 1, 1954

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Name	Position or Subject	High and Central Junior High Education	Years in Milton
George C. Marsden	Principal	Bates College, A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	26
Doris M. Dixon	Asst. Principal and Science	Boston University, B.S.	31
Arthur J. Brimstone	Vice Principal and Math.	Colby College, B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	28
E. Francis Kane	Sub Master and Commercial	Salem Normal, B.E.; Boston Coll., Ed.M., LL.B.	24
Ida F. Berni	Principal's Secretary	Milton High School*	37
Lydie A. Livezey	Principal's Clerk	Milton High School*	27
High			
Barbara H. Albret.	English	Bridgewater Teachers' College, B.S.	16
Richard C. Bailey	Woodwkg., Shop Math., Aeronautics.	Fitchburg T. C., B.S.Ed., Hyannis T.C., Ed.M., Maritime Academy, B.S. Eng.	4
Doris A. Bridges	English	Teachers' Coll., Columbia, B.S., M.A.	21
John A. Carnie	Bookkeeping	Boston University, B.B.S., Ed.M.	16
Shirley Cave	English	Bates College, A.B.	8
Doris H. Chadwick	Latin	Smith College, A.B.; Boston Univ., M.A.	26
Alice E. Conant	Physical Education	Sargent School*; Boston University, B.S.	21
Nellie V. Dawes	Clothing	Farmington Normal School, B.S.	18
Charles M. Dunbar	Safety Education	Fitchburg Normal School*	32
Ruth Dyas	English	Boston University, A.B.	23
Lottie A. Elzbut	Typewriting, Stenography	Boston University, B.S., C.S.M.	2
Thelma B. Foster	U. S. History	Boston University, B.S.	23
Raymond A. Gadaire	Problems of Democracy	Middlebury College, A.B.	0
A. Irene Goddard	French	Boston University, A.B., M.A.	25
H. Dora Hamlin	Art	Massachusetts School of Art, B.S.	14
Fred L. Kelley	Physics, Auto Mechanics	Bates College, A.B.	2
Harry B. McCormick	Hygiene, Physical Education	Springfield College, B.S.	9
Gertrude M. Miller	Guidance	Simmons Coll., B.S.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	25
Martha R. Murdock	Office Practice, Typewriting	Simmons Coll., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	15
Norman N. Nevins	World & Mod. European History	Bowdoin College, A.B.; Bates College, Ed.M.	18
Edith E. Neylan	Law	Boston University, B.B.A., M.C.S., Portia LL.B.	32
E. Meredith Reed	English	Boston University, A.B.	19
Paul J. Shute	Mechanical Drawing	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	3
Howard A. Smith	Chemistry	Boston University, B.S., M.A.	19
Stanley F. Snell	Mathematics	Bates College, B.S.	22

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Name	Position or Subject	Education	Years in Milton
Harriet E. Staples	Stenography, Typewriting	Chandler Norm. Sch.*; Northeastern Univ., B.B.A.	34
Norman G. Tardiff	History, Mathematics	Bates College, B.S.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	5
Francis W. Tatro	Music	New England Conservatory of Music, B.M.	7
Evelyn G. O. Tondreau	French	University of Maine, A.B.	2
Francis X. Tracy	English	Catholic Univ., A.B.; Boston Col., M.A.	0
Ethel B. Wiley	Biology	Simmons College, B.S.	3
Central Junior High			
Arnold G. Adams	Mathematics	Bates College, B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	17
Ruth-Marie Ballard	English	Radcliffe Coll., A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	15
Alexander G. Bell, Jr.	General Business	Boston University, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	2
Max O. Brown	Science and Biology	Acadia College, B.S.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	25
Ella E. Day	Geography, Art Appreciation	Farmington N. S.*; Boston Univ., B.S., M.Ed.	13
Rose Depoyan	Algebra	Radcliffe College, A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	23
Grace F. Goddard	English	Bates College, A.B.	23
Generosa C. Hagan	Foods, Remedial Reading	Regis College, B.S.	9
Margaret B. Heald	Music	Bridgewater Norm. Sch.*; Boston Univ., B.S.	30
Joseph M. Long	Printing	Boston Teachers' College, B.S.	0
Carolyn MacKnight	Civics, History	Salem Normal*; Boston University, B.S.	32
Patricia E. Nelson	Latin	Tufts College, A.B.	2
Otis B. Oakman	History	Boston University, A.B., Ed.M.	16
Robert J. N. Osborn	English	Bridgewater N.S., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	25
Hazel E. Patterson	Mathematics	Bridgewater Normal School*	32
Frederick A. Schoenherr	Electricity, Shop Supervisor	Lowell Institute*	33
Anna L. Strid	French, English	Bridgewater N.S.*; Boston Univ., B.S., M.A.	32
Ian F. Watson	Hygiene, Physical Education	Boston Univ., B.S.; Columbia Univ., M.A.	2
Mary A. Cunningham Junior High			
George L. Campbell	Principal	University of New Hampshire, B.S.	28
Jean Cruickshanks	Secretary	Fisher School*	5
Donald E. Allison	History, Mathematics	Colby College, B.S.	18
Nanna R. Benson	Special	Wheeler Sch.,* Hyannis Teachers' Coll., B.S.	10
Charles J. Caddoo	Physical Education, Hygiene	Colby College, B.S.	11
Cecelia R. Campbell	English	University of New York, B.S.	12
Ethel M. Cowgill	World History, Civics, Art	Bridgewater Teachers' College, B.S.	7

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Margaret Q. Doyle	Physical Ed., Hygiene	Boston Univ. Sargent Coll., B.S., B.C., Ed.M.	13
Pauline F. Dundon	Special	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	2
George F. Fellows	General Science	Tufts College, B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	21
Melvin H. Glazier	Mathematics	Middlebury College, B.S.	10
Dorothy V. Hebert	Latin, French	Univ. of N. H., A.B.; Boston Univ., M.A.	24
Arvid L. Jacobson	History, Mech. Draw., Ind. Arts	Fitchburg N.S.*, Boston Univ., B.S.	23
Edna L. Johnson	English	Keene Normal Sch., B.Ed., Univ. of N. H., M.Ed.	1
John M. Mathews	Industrial Arts	Fitchburg Teachers' College, B.S.E.	11
Margaret M. McGregor	Geography, Civics	Newburyport Training School*	24
Marion E. Rhodes	Home Management	Framingham Teachers' College, B.S.	10
Helen R. Welch	Commercial Math., English	Boston University, B.S.	18
Belcher			
Lorinda M. Folsom	Principal	Salem Teachers' Coll., B.S.; Boston U., M.Ed.	11
Manning W. Hamilton	Sixth	Boston University, B.S.	0
§Margaret S. Carlson	Fifth	Boston Normal School*	4
Eunice M. Power (Sub.)	Fifth	Boston Teachers' Coll., B.S.Ed.	1
Clara Wetherbee	Fourth	Fitchburg Normal School, B.S.	21
Gertrude M. Lucey	Third	Smith College, A.B.	7
Estelle Young	Second	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1
Gertrude V. Torrey	First	Boston Univ., A.B.; Tufts College, M.Ed.	3
E. Lucille Marcus	Kindergarten	Lesley College, B.S.	3
Collicot			
Chester W. Ruggles	Principal	Worcester S.T.C., B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	1
Jessie A. Baldwin	Sixth	Framingham Normal School*; Boston Univ., B.S.	27
Jacqueline M. Bragg	Sixth	Hyannis T.C., B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	4
Ellen F. Fahey	Sixth	Bridgewater T.C., B.S.Ed.; B.U., M.Ed.	2
Nancy A. MacDermott	Fifth	Framingham Normal School*	23
Elsie M. Kelley	Fifth	Bridgewater Normal School*	17
Elsie D. Thomas	Fourth	Hyannis Normal School*	24
Mary C. Leavitt	Fourth	Smith College, A.B.	2
Joan Cunningham	Fourth	Boston University, B. Music	1
Edith M. Polley	Third	Fitchburg Normal School, B.S.; B.U., M.Ed.	19
Phyllis Esau	Third	Bridgewater Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	11
Doris S. Cole	Second	Gorham Normal School*	24
Dorothea A. Lazzari	Second	Boston Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	0

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Name	Position or Grade	Education	Years in Milton
Alice J. Dwinell	First	Wheelock School*; Boston University, B.S.	7
Margaret V. Douglass	First	Gorham Teachers' College, B.S.	1
Gladys O. Bolton	Kindergarten	Radcliffe College, A.B.; Wheelock School*	31
Betty A. Johnson	Assistant	Lesley College, B.S.	3
Glover			
Frances A. Murray	Principal	Salem Normal School*	24
Anthony J. Kirmil	Sixth	Worcester T.C., B.S.Ed.; Brid. T.C., M.Ed.	0
Marian B. Olds	Fifth	Middlebury Col., B.A.; Harvard Col., Ed.M.	0
Selina M. Gibbons	Fourth	Miss Neil's School*	16
Polly B. Norton	Third	Middlebury College, B.A.; Harvard Col., Ed.M.	0
Avra A. Kevghas	Second	Lowell State Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	1
Helen M. Kelley (Sub.)	First	Boston Teachers' College*	0
Miriam Jeffries	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B.S.	2
Charles Sumner Pierce			
Maurice F. Smith	Principal	Salem T. Coll., B.S.Ed., Harvard College, M.Ed.	1
Mary B. Devine	Secretary (Part time Tucker)	Boston University, B.S.	1
M. Elsie Hachey	Sixth	Plymouth Teachers' College, B.Ed.	3
William T. Rogers	Sixth	Fitchburg T.C., B.S.Ed.; Brid. T.C., M.Ed.	2
Eleanor C. Blaine	Sixth	Brid. T.C., B.S.Ed.; Hyannis T.C., M.S.Ed.	0
Louise R. Thompson	Fifth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	17
Doris A. Tucker	Fifth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	6
Leonard A. Silveira	Fifth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	1
Rachel B. Albee	Fourth	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	1
Barbara L. Chandler	Fourth	Boston University, B. Music.	1
Alice C. Dooley (Sub.)	Fourth	Emmanuel College, A.B.	0
Evelyn E. Martin	Third	Wheelock School*	28
Helen I. Ellis	Third	Wheelock School*	10
Dorothy L. Shaw	Third	Hyannis Normal*; Teachers Col., Columbia, B.S., M.A.	0
Pauline M. Donahue	Second	Bridgewater State Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	2
Sylvia E. Bell	Second	Radcliffe College, A.B.	0
Norma J. Rosenberg	Second	Radcliffe College, A.B.	0
Eleanor A. Miller	First	Vassar College, A.B.; Boston University, M.Ed.	8
Alice E. Hayden	First	Tufts College, B.A.	1
Claire F. Mullin	First	Framingham State Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	1

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Anne V. Hopkins	Kindergarten	Lesley School*	9
Mary M. Pitman	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B.S.	9
Tucker			
Eileen E. Reilly	Principal	Gorham N.S.*; Boston U., B.S.Ed., Ed.M.	0
Mary B. Devine	Secretary (Part time Pierce)	Boston University, B.S.	1
Gertrude H. Falt	Sixth	Gorham Normal School*	8
Florence M. Barden	Sixth	Keene Normal School*; N. E. Cons. of Music*	5
Doris G. Norton	Fifth	Newburyport Training School*	24
Mary I. Jokinen	Fifth	Framingham State Teachers' College, B.S.	7
Mary C. Lane	Fifth	Radcliffe College, A.B.	0
M. Emelene Wishart	Fourth	Fitchburg Normal School*, Boston Univ., B.S.	30
Mary F. Halliday	Fourth	Miss Neil's School*, Hyannis Normal*	24
Carolyn J. McSherry	Fourth	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	1
Anna H. Wilder	Third	Perry Kgn. Normal School*; Boston Univ., B.S.	9
Arlene M. Casey	Third	Salem Teachers' College, B.S.Ed.	0
Dorothy Russell	Second	Bridgewater State Teachers' College, B.S.	7
Irene J. Malik	Second	Salem T.C., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	6
Lenore M. Florian	Second	Wheelock School*; Boston Univ., B.S.Ed.	0
Mildred A. Soule	First	Bridgewater Normal School*	26
Helen L. Whitcomb	First	Gorham Normal School*; Boston Univ., B.S.	19
Ellen R. Ochs	First	Boston Normal School*	4
Catherine M. Watson	Kindergarten	Wheelock School*	27
Muriel E. Schwarz (Sub.)	Kindergarten Assistant	Simmons College, B.S.	1
SUPERVISORS, TEACHERS OF SPECIAL SUBJECTS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, AND OTHERS			
Mary E. Deschenes (Sub.)	Teacher of Sewing	Regis College, A.B.	1
†H. Dora Hamlin	Supervisor of Art	Massachusetts School of Art, B.S.	14
†Margaret B. Heald	Assistant Supervisor of Music	Bridgewater Normal School*; B.U., B.S.	30
†John M. Mathews	Teacher of Industrial Arts	Fitchburg Teachers' College, B.S.E.	11
Alice E. McCoy	Teacher of Physical Education	Boston University, Sargent School, B.S.	17
†Frederick A. Schoenherr	Supervisor of Manual Arts	Lowell Institute*	33
Miriam G. Schoenherr	Supervisor of Evening Classes	Framingham Normal School*	7
†Francis W. Tatro	Supervisor of Music	N. E. Conservatory of Music, B.M.	7
Jane C. Wagoner	Supervisor of Audio-Visual Ed.	Wellesley College, B.A.; Boston U., M.A.	4

*Graduated

§Leave of Absence

†Listed also in Senior or Junior High Schools

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DIVISION OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Robert J. Gordon, Superintendent, 434 Brook Road, Milton
George A. Keith, School Mechanic, 80 Reservation Road, Milton
Michael J. Mahoney, Assistant Mechanic, 142 Warren Avenue, Milton

Custodians

High School

James A. Cullen, 21 Quarry Lane, Milton
Chester V. Driscoll, 105 Thacher Street, Milton
John L. Grant, 128 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton
Michael J. Walker, 4 Martin Terrace, Milton
James J. O'Brien, 28 Lincoln Street, Milton

Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School

*Andrew D. Walker, 87 Granite Place, Milton
Eugene S. Beless, 96 Waldeck Road, Milton
Marcel D. Richard, 1201 Pleasant Street, Canton
Kenneth W. Ross, 27 Barry Street, West Quincy
Francis L. McNamara, 57 Hurlcroft Road, Milton

Belcher School

Maurice Spillane, 243 Eliot Street, Milton
Kenneth W. Ross, 27 Barry Street, West Quincy

Collicot School

Edward N. Parks, 18 Nahanton Avenue, Milton
Vincent A. Hayes, 19 Horton Place, Milton

Glover School

Joseph L. Bertram, 31 Bates Road, Milton

Pierce School

Thomas F. Taylor, 67 Oak Street, Milton
James F. Driscoll, 30 West Street, Randolph
Henry B. Maloney, 92 Waldeck Road, Milton

Tucker School

Chester W. Currier, 32 Aberdeen Road, Milton
Leo P. Carey, 7 Catherine Road, Milton

* Retired December 1, 1953

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SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Dorothy L. Callahan, Director of Cafeterias, 97 Standish Avenue, Wollaston
Myra M. Pinkerton, Clerk (Part time), 40 Essex Road, Milton

High School

Ellen H. Ohrstrom, 4 Kahler Avenue, Milton
Harriet F. Britt, 59 Blue Hill Terrace Street, Milton
John J. Sheehan, 3 Buckingham Road, Milton
Eva Rosato, 78 Meagher Avenue, Milton

Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School

Phyllis H. Payne, 26 Glendale Road, Milton
Anne R. Curley, 11 Westvale Road, Milton
Eleanor E. Bobrick, 6 Rustlewood Road, Milton

Glover School

Ellen A. Parrell, 402 Reedsdale Road, Milton
Mary J. Marchese, 12 Frothingham Street, Milton

Charles Sumner Pierce School

Glenna W. Sneider, 59 Greenleaf Street, Quincy
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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS OF 1953

Arthur Thomas Ahearn
John Francis Andrews
Donald Francis Avila
Erma Ruth Barrows
Shirley Frances Bell
Beverly Ann Bent
Karl Erik Berggren
Mary Elizabeth Bogdanski
George Ernest Bossi
Walter Edward Bosworth
Barbara Anne Boynton
Frederick Taylor Brimstine
Robin Gordon Britt
Charles Sumner Brooks
Beverly Ann Brown
Alfred Teed Brunké
Virginia Brooks Burdick
Suzanne Marie Callow
Marilyn Jean Campbell
Murray Adams Cappers
Jean Sue Carita
Vincent Frederick Celli
Edward Paul Cicconi
Anne Irene Clasby
David Edward Clasby
Anstiss Margaret Collins
Julia McMahon Collins
Alice Anne Connelly
Robert Joseph Connelly
Donald Louis Connors
Marjorie Ann Costello
Elinor Perry Coughlan
Joseph Victor Croce, Jr.
Henry Clarence Cross
Paul Henry Crowley
Gerard Richard Dacey
Claire Terese DeGiacomo
John Anthony Dennehy
Beatrice Eveleen Donohue
L. Robert Douglass
Evelyn Jane Dowd
Janet Dorothy Dowdall
Margaret Mary Dunn
William Joseph Ellis
Ralph Augustus Emery
John Edward Engdahl
Willard Colburn Everett
MaryLouise Fahey
Roberta Helena-Chell Fahey
Muriel Margaret Fallon
Joan Elinor Fandel
Audrey Ann Farrell
William John Fein
William Thomas Fitzgerald

Carole Ann Flaherty
William Charles Flannery
Sheila Marion Folger
Virginia Marie Ford
Roger Armstrong Forde
Erle Rogers Fratus
Evelyn Mark Gaetani
Thomas Joseph Gallagher
Jeanne Darlene Gardner
Lorraine Geissler
Beverly Graham
Mary Louise Graham
Barbara Annette Granstrom
Evelyn Lois Green
William Patrick Griffin
James Noel Guarino
Barry Thomas Hannon
James Gerard Hannon
Robert Allen Haskins
Frederick Davie Hayes
William Martin Hayes
James Martin Henderson, Jr.
Kenneth Eliot Hermance
Alison Brooks Hersey
Donald Gordon Hersey
Robert Hamilton Hickey
Frank Edward Hoefft
Arthur Vincent Hogan
Robert Lyman Hume
Helen Frances Ingraham
Nancy Pauline Jackson
Eleanor Mary Jenkins
Walter Thomas Jepson
Ruth Ann Johnson
Bernice Marie Keddy
Barbara Ann Kelley
Carol Ann Kelley
Leone Kelley
Gerard Joseph Kelly
Constance Louise Kelty
Lee Matthew Kennedy
Margaret Mary Kenney
Philip Henry Kenney
Joan Kirkegard
Robert Lawson Kondey
Robert Lewis Lake
Joseph Gilbert Larrabee
David Richard Lawless
Robert Craig Lawrence
Richard Newton Lincoln
Mitchell MacDonald, Jr.
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Agnes Greene MacKinnon

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James Allen McKinnon
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William Leo Mahoney
John Gerald Malloy
Harriette Mae Marchant
Jean Audrey Matthew
John Edward McDermott
Patricia Marian McDermott
James Warren McGrath, Jr.
Lois McIntosh
Francis Joseph McNamara
George Byron Meeken
Howard Miller
John Reeves Mitiguy
Barbara Ann Mooney
James Patrick Moran
Phyllis Janet Moriarty
Dorothy Drew Morrissey
George Michael Mulligan
Thomas Joseph Nally
Donald Richard Nelson
Rita Felicia Noris
Nancy Louise O'Brien
Judith Grace O'Connor
Barbara Ann O'Dea
John Francis O'Halloran
Nancy Marie Oldfield
Arline Rita Oxner
Marion Ellen Park
June Josephine Parsloe
Mary Marilyn Perola
Eleanor Mary Peters
Sidney Kenneth Quint
Noreen Frances Quirk
Bernard Swan Restuccia
Nancy Hartline Richards
Claire Rachel Ristuccia
Sally Ann Robinson

Harold Irving Roeder, Jr.
Milton Gideon Rogers
Phyllis Ann Savage
Robert Henry Scales
Patricia Anne Shaughnessy
Shirley Helen Skilling
Sheila Ann Slyne
Geraldine Florence Smith
Gerald Joseph Smyth
Charles Marshall Stasey
Stanley Stearns
John Tileston Stenberg
Ronald Earl Stevens
David Alan Stevenson
Barbara Anne Stoneck
Kathleen Sullivan
William George Swan
Frances Lois Sweeney
Joanne Swingle
John Sylvester, Jr.
Mary Joyce Tegan
Hugh Frank Treanor
Dorothea Barbara Tyrrell
Allan van Gestel
Victor Joseph Van Neste
Theresa Rose Veneto
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Everett Lee Walker, Jr.
Neil Francis Wallace
Elizabeth Jane Webb
Ralph Emerson Webb, Jr.
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Richard Alan Welts
Suzanne Harriett White
Donald Paul Wieners
Roger Herbert Wilcox
Donna Marie Williams
Judith Wilson

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Paul Crowley
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Ralph Emery
William Flannery
Annette Granstrom
Kenneth Hermance

Robert Kondey
Robert Lake
Richard Lincoln
Judith O'Connor
David Stevenson
Dorothy Tyrrell
Victor Van Neste

Members of the graduation honor roll have earned certificate marks
in requirements of the senior high school course.

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STATISTICS OF CLASS OF 1953—MILTON HIGH SCHOOL

Total Number of Pupils in Class—184

	Boys	Girls	Total
Colleges and other Educational Institutions.....	56	43	99
Graduate Course—Independent Schools.....	5	0	5
Total	61	43	104
In the service of the United States Army and Navy..	11	0	11
At work	24	45	69
At home	0	0	0
Total	96	88	184

The above statistics are as of December 31, 1953.

Educational Institutions now being attended by Graduates of Class of 1953

Archbishop Cushing Junior College..	1	Lasell Junior College.....	2
Bates College	3	Massachusetts General Hospital....	1
Bentley School of Accounting.....	1	Massachusetts Memorial Hospitals..	1
Boston City Hospital.....	2	New England School of Pharmacy...	1
Boston College	8	Northeastern University	5
Boston State Teachers College.....	2	Pembroke College	2
Boston University	16	Pierce School	1
Bridgewater State Teachers College..	1	Princeton University	1
Bryant College	1	Radcliffe College	2
Burdett College	1	Regis College	1
Chandler School	4	Rochester Institute of Technology...	1
Cheshire School	1	Rutgers University	1
Colby Junior College.....	1	Saint Elizabeth's Hospital.....	1
Colby College	1	Simmons College	2
Curry College	2	Stockbridge School of Agriculture...	1
Emerson College	1	Stonehill College	3
Fisher Junior College.....	1	Tabor Academy	1
The Forsyth School.....	1	Thayer Academy	2
Framingham State Teachers College.	1	Tufts College	3
Franklin Technical Institute.....	1	University of Massachusetts.....	6
Georgetown University	1	University of Notre Dame.....	1
Hobart College	1	University of Wisconsin.....	1
Holy Cross College.....	1	Wesleyan University, Connecticut...	1
Huntington School for Boys.....	1	Wheaton College	1
Industrial Technical Schools.....	1	Wheelock College	1
Kathleen Dell School.....	1	Winslow Secretarial School.....	1
Katherine Gibbs School.....	1	Worcester Polytechnic Institute....	3

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MILTON HIGH SCHOOL
EIGHTY-THIRD GRADUATING EXERCISES

Class of 1953

ON THE CAMPUS

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 9, 1953

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL MARCH—"Pomp and Circumstance".....*Elgar*
INVOCATION.....REV. ROBERT M. PIERCE
"The Home Road".....*Carpenter*
"I Believe"*Drake*

SENIOR CLASS GLEE CLUB

FREEDOM'S FOUNDATION

Molded by Political Heritage
ROBERT KONDEY

Molded by Individual Expression
JUDITH O'CONNOR

Molded by Spiritual Faith
RICHARD LINCOLN

PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT

JOHN McDERMOTT
President of Class

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Milton High School English Prize
Milton Public Library Reading Award
Clarence Boylston Science Prize
Carrie E. White Music Award
Milton B. P. O. E. Boys' Leadership Prize
Milton B. P. O. E. Girls' Leadership Prize
Milton Rotary Club Service Citation
Milton Woman's Club Scholarships
Girls' League Scholarships
Milton Teachers' Association Scholarships
Milton Players' Scholarship
Student Council Scholarship
Milton Town Club Scholarship
Parent-Teacher Association Scholarships
Chester Stuart McCarthy Memorial Scholarship
Class of Nineteen Twenty-eight
Jesse B. Baxter Scholarship
Henrietta T. Hallowell Citizenship Prize
Hiram Tuell Citizenship Prize

DR. OWEN B. KIERNAN

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SCHOOL SONG—"Allegiance"

"The Star-Spangled Banner".....*John Stafford Smith*

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

MR. JOSEPH C. MAHONEY

MR. GEORGE C. MARSDEN

RECESSIONAL—"The Footlifter"*Fillmore*





